Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh

To-Day's Weather
FAIR

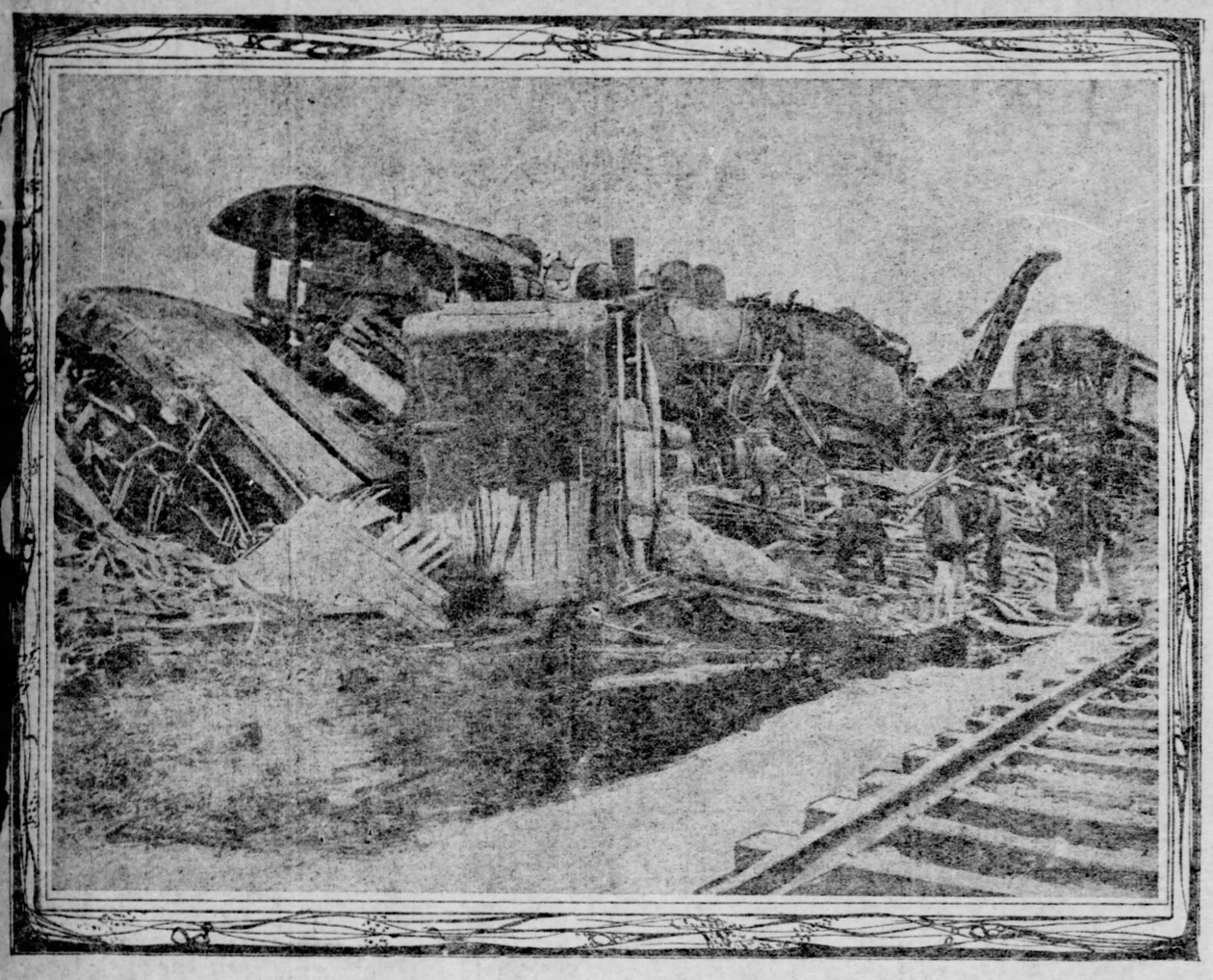
The Pittsburgh Gazette.

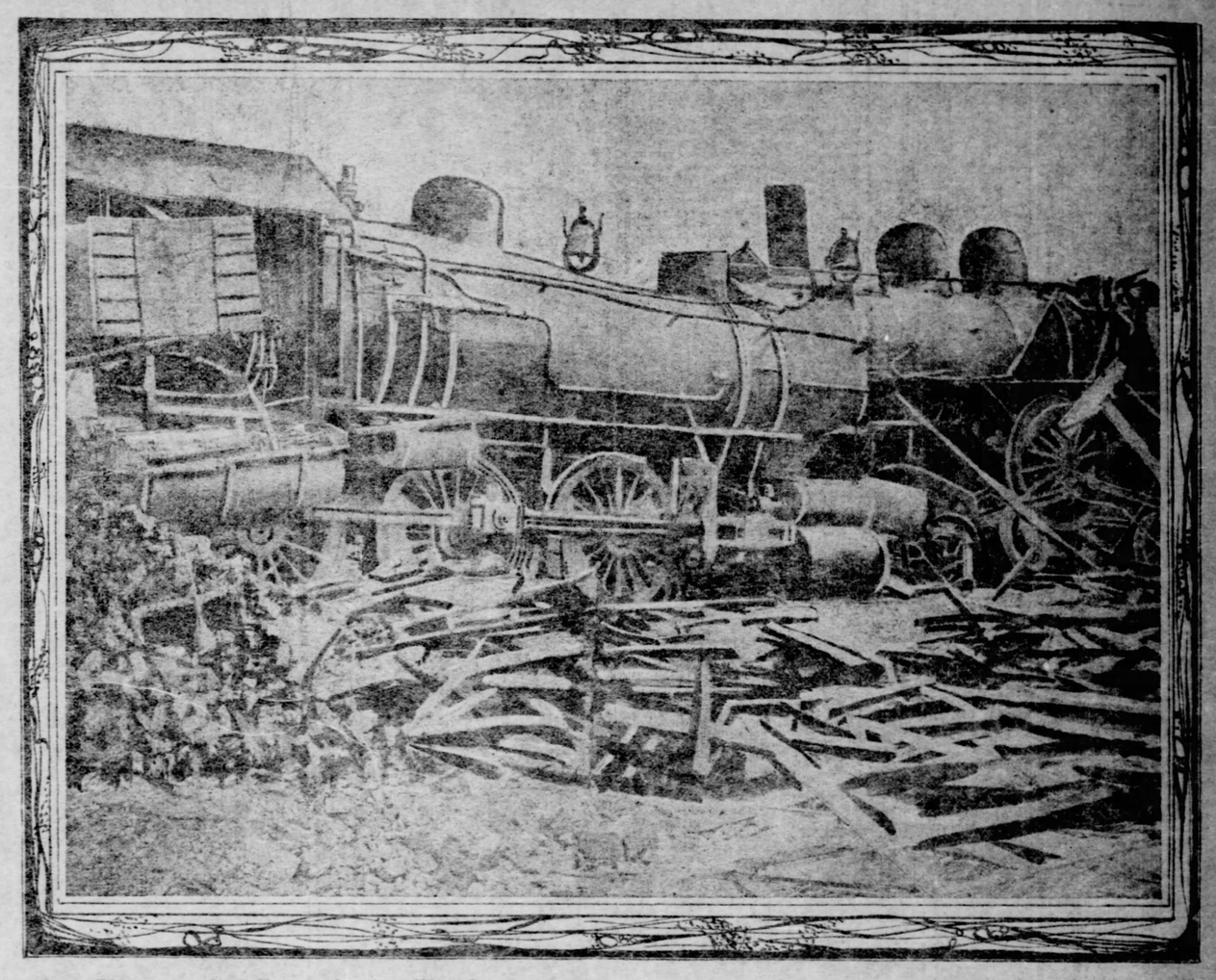
LATEST NEWS EDITION

VOL. 117. ESTABLISHED JULY 29, 1786. NO. 126. PITTSBURGH, MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 1, 1902.—TWELVE PAGES. ONE CENT A COPY.

OPEN SWITCH WRECKS PASSENGER TRAIN ENGINEER IS KILLED; SEVERAL ARE HURT

PITTSBURGHERS WILL SPEND $11,000,000 IN REVIVING CAPE MAY AS A RESORT





Scene of the Wreck at Carbon, O., Yesterday Morning, Photographed Expressly for The Gazette.

News Summary.

DOMESTIC.

Anarchistic waiter in Brooklyn attacked guests and attempted to kill the proprietor of a restaurant.—Page 2.

J. Ogden Armour will give $3,000,000 to establish institute of bloodless surgery as a thank offering for the recovery of his little daughter from congenital hip disease.—Page 1.

Engineer was killed and three persons injured in a Baltimore & Ohio wreck near Youngstown, O.—Page 1.

Congress is not expected to tinker with tariff at short session which opens today.—Page 1.

Comptroller of the Currency Ridgely asks congress to provide more elastic currency.—Page 10.

Secretary of War Root, in his annual report, advises the re-establishment of the army canteen.—Page 12.

LOCAL.

Archibald Mackrell may ask Gov. Stone to appoint him sheriff to succeed William C. McKinley. The latter will probably fight to retain the office.—Page 8.

Allegheny county will have 22 delegates in the next Democratic state convention and most of the counties add to their representation.—Page 5.

Between now and Christmas the Pittsburgh Railways Company will distribute about $50,000 in the form of non-accident premiums to over 1,500 men.—Page 3.

It is announced that the Flinn syndicate will spend $11,000,000 to make Cape May the greatest resort by the sea. Incidentally, in behalf of Mr. Flinn, who is chairman of the new Union Steel Company, comes his substantiation of the 200-mile railroad project of that company.—Page 1.

Controller John B. Larkin and his attorneys will go before Judge J. D. Shafer this morning and demand a hearing in the mandamus case.—Page 2.

Councilman J. C. Wagson declares that councils will enact an ordinance levying a tax of 5 per cent on the gross receipts of all public corporations in the city.—Page 4.

Design for the Col. Hawkins monument and memorial is to be selected in New York today.—Page 3.

Two inches of snow fell in Pittsburgh and the surrounding country.—Page 2.

Systems of the new tube works at McKeesport will be so radical a departure that while the output will be doubled the list of employes will only be swelled by a fourth. Steel corporation plans nine new blast furnaces.—Page 3.

The fiftieth anniversary of the Christ Methodist Episcopal church was celebrated at two services yesterday. The Rev. Bradford Paul Raymond, president of Wesleyan university, preached in the morning, and the Rev. Dr. Charles W. Smith of Pittsburgh occupied the pulpit last night.—Page 8.

At the Shady Avenue Baptist church last night the Rev. W. A. Stanton preached a sermon on "The Doukhobors, or a Twentieth Century Quest for the Holy Grail."—Page 8.

Judge John D. Shafer is prominently mentioned for appointment by Gov. Stone to fill the vacancy on the superior court bench.—Page 4.

SPORTING.

The greatest turf event of 1904 is scheduled for St. Louis when the world's fair handicap will be run for $50,000. Racing entries for New Orleans and San Francisco tracks.—Page 10.

W. C. Temple, according to President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh club, is considering the presidency of the National league.—Page 10.

John L. Sullivan picks Terry McGovern to defeat young Corbett if the two fighters meet soon.—Page 10.

The members of the Pittsburgh professional football team may seek a reattachment of the receipts of Thanksgiving Day game for their salaries.—Page 10.

FINANCIAL.

Harriman-Hawley-Gould feud in Wall street is disturbing factor.—Page 11.

ENGINEER WAS KILLED AND THREE OTHERS HURT IN A B. & O. COLLISION

Fast Passenger Train Crashes Into a Freight Near Youngstown—Pittsburgher Seriously Injured.

WOMAN NURSE RESCUES VICTIMS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Youngstown, O., Nov. 30.—The fast Baltimore & Ohio express No. 6, from Chicago to New York, at 4:20 this morning crashed into a freight train at Carbon, Pa. One man is dead and three are seriously injured:

The Dead:

HOWARD BRADLEY, Millvale, passenger engineer, unmarried; head crushed; remains taken to New Castle.

The Injured:

H. E. THOMPSON, Kent, O., fireman on passenger engine; nose broken and long gash back of right ear.

FRANK MILLER, Oak Harbor, O., fireman on freight; scalded.

WALTER MILLER, 121 Moultrie street, Pittsburgh, express messenger; hip and back injured.

The injured were taken to New Castle on trolley cars. Henry Stopf, the head brakeman on the freight, is said to be the cause of the disaster. He left several hours after the wreck occurred, when he was summoned by Superintendent H. O. Dunkle of the Baltimore & Ohio. The freight train had been blocked at Carbon and Conductor Shelby Archer had thrown a switch for the train to back into the siding. It was Stopf's duty to close it, but it is thought he didn't. The passenger came along at 60 miles an hour and hit the engine in front of it, just after Engineer C. F. Gleason of the freight had got out from under his engine, which he was oiling.

The express car in which was Messenger Walter Miller was telescoped. Miller was found under the roof and his escape was marvelous. Bradley had been thrown alongside of his engine. Thompson, his fireman, was under the debris of the express car.

Behind in the baggage car was Baggagemaster Wheatcraft at work. He was uninjured, although his car was completely caved in in front. Forty odd passengers in the two sleepers and the day coaches were badly shaken up, but none injured.

The heroine of the occasion was Miss Florence West of Chicago. In the darkness, with the trainmen searching out their wounded comrades, was seen the figure of a woman as hard at work as they. Some one asked her who she was.

"I am an army nurse," she replied. "I am not afraid here. I can help." She worked along amidst the escaping steam of the engine and the debris of the cars. She helped the surgeons with the wounded and had bound up the head of Thompson before they arrived. She was on her way to Washington to attend a meeting of nurses. Miss West had been with the army in Cuba during the late war, but is now a private nurse in Chicago.

Bradley, heretofore, was thought to have had a charmed life. It was he who was in the cab at the Bakerstown tunnel disaster in July, 1901. He was caught in the cab and climbed out through the ventilator to sit down and cry over the loss of his engine. Two men were killed at that time. Half a dozen times he has been in wrecks and half a dozen times the combination of circumstances has sent out another man in an engine to be killed where he ordinarily would have been.

The damage amounted to $5,000. Superintendent Dunkle said regarding the cause of the wreck: "We will find out the exact cause of this wreck and on whom to place the blame. The conductor and engineer should have seen that that switch was closed. The blame will be placed on those who deserve it. We will make a careful investigation of this wreck."

NEW CASTLE, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Engineer Bradley's body and the injured persons were brought to this city in an ambulance shortly after the wreck. Fireman Miller and Thompson will likely be able to be taken to their homes within a few days, but Express Messenger Miller of Pittsburgh is the worst injured, and the attending physicians do not think he will be able to be moved for some time. An injured restaurant keeper of Chicago and Miss West continued their journey, after receiving medical attention at the hospital here. Miss West was suffering from the shock. A peculiar feature was the fact that she had a premonition of the disaster and retired to her berth without disrobing and slept little, being overpowered with a sense of deadly danger.

Fireman Thompson says neither he nor Engineer Bradley had any time to jump, as the freight was only about 50 feet on the siding from the main track. Thompson does not know how he escaped alive.

Superintendent Dunkle had the main track cleared within three hours, but the wreckage will not be cleared away from the siding until tomorrow. The engines will never be able to run again.

Coroner E. C. Porter viewed the remains of Engineer Bradley today and will hold an inquest when the injured men recover sufficiently to testify. The wife of Messenger Miller was telegraphed for today and is expected here from Pittsburgh tonight.

GIVES THREE MILLIONS AS THANKS OFFERING

J. Ogden Armour Endows Bloodless Surgery Hospital in Chicago.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—As a monument of gratitude for his daughter, heir to fabulous wealth, who has been reclaimed from a life of utter helplessness and given one of activity and endearment, J. Ogden Armour, millionaire, now turned philanthropist like his father, has begun plans for the Lolita Armour Institute of Bloodless Surgery, to be endowed with $3,000,000.

The first active step in this direction was taken today at Mr. Armour's home, while the packer, his wife and daughter were entertaining Prof. Adolf Lorenz, and Dr. Mueller, both of the University of Vienna.

"Come, dear, see how well you walk," said Dr. Lorenz to the Armour heiress, who but a few weeks ago he found suffering, as she had been from birth, from congenital hip dislocation. With a smile the child walked across the floor to him, making a playful grimace and a cake walk step for the edification of her anxious nurse.

"Good, you are as well as any child," said the noted surgeon, and he and Dr. Mueller shook hands.

Dr. Mueller is to be the head of the new institute.

FLOWERS UNKNOWN.

Thousands of Chicago Children in Public Schools Cannot Tell Rose from Dandelion.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—A special from Chicago to the World says:

H. S. McCarthy told the Physicians' club that 100,000 children in Chicago did not know a rose from a dandelion or a violet from a daisy. An inquiring spirit set about investigating. Flowers were taken to three schools in slum districts, and only the rose was occasionally named by the children. These children are as old as 14 years.

"Lilocks," "bluebells," "lily buds," "daisies" were the joyous cries shrilled forth when violets were exhibited. Carnations were "lilies" also to these flower-starved little ones. The chrysanthemum was variously called a "lily," a "big rose," a "cabbage flower," a "snowball" and "football flower."

ROBERT AMMON LOSES BARN AND TWO DOGS

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The stable of Robert Ammon, formerly of Pittsburgh, but now a New York lawyer, was destroyed by fire today. Two St. Bernard dogs were burned with the barn. Loss $3,000. James Meyers, who has been employed as coachman, was arrested on suspicion.

ANDREW CARNEGIE ABLE TO SIT UP

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Andrew Carnegie, who has been lying ill here for the past fortnight, was able to get up today for the first time.

NO TINKERING WITH TARIFF THIS SESSION

Dalzell and Others So Report After Calling Upon President.

TRUST QUESTION TO BE TAKEN UP

Congressional Grind Begins Today, and Senator Quay Finds Fight on Hands.

SOME LEFT OVER BUSINESS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.

At noon tomorrow the second session of the Fifty-seventh congress opens. During the next three months there will come before congress many important matters—matters of vital influence on the prosperity of the nation, and some of which will go into history.

The Republicans will make no effort to shirk their responsibilities. With the executive and legislative branches of the government in perfect harmony, they will meet each issue as it arises. Some of these questions may require the enactment of new laws, others may demand the amendment of existing statutes, while others may show that present conditions need nothing except to remain undisturbed. Whatever treatment may be deemed best will be applied.

It is generally believed that there will be no changes made in the Dingley tariff law this session. The principal reason for this is that the conservative Republicans and the president are averse to tinkering with the tariff or to making any change except such as shall seem best after mature consideration. There will be no playing with the tariff for political effect or to appease those members who demand a reduction of the schedules merely because corporations are enjoying a period of great prosperity.

Opposes Mere Tinkering.

The president is on record as opposed to envy or malice having any influence upon a revision of the tariff. Congressman Serene E. Payne of New York, chairman of the ways and means committee, a few days ago, after a conference with the president, stated that there would be no revision of the tariff at this session. His statement was considered as authoritative and as representing the desire of the administration. Hon. John Dalzell of Pittsburgh, second member of the ways and means committee, who is in close touch with the president, is also known to be opposed to a revision of the tariff at this time. Senator Hale of Maine also came from an interview with the president and announced that there would be no action on the tariff at present. These statements make it quite certain that the tariff will not be molested, at least for a year to come.

In his message the president's suggestions on the tariff question will be very mild. He will recommend the appointment of a commission to thoroughly h-

Continued on 2d Page, 2d Column.

HANNA SHOWS TRUE SPIRIT OF OHIOAN

Senior Buckeye Senator Declares He Will Not Resign from Anything.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 16 Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.

Senator Hanna denies positively the rumors that appear intermittently that he intends soon to resign.

"I am not going to resign from anything," the senator declared tonight. "Such a thought has never entered my head. If I live I shall not retire from the senate until I have served out the term for which I was elected. The people of Ohio will have to say as to whether I shall retire at the end of my term.

"Neither will I retire as chairman of the Republican national committee until after I have called the next national convention to order. If the new national committee to be selected by that convention does not ask me to become its chairman, I will not have to pass upon the subject of my retirement. If it does tender me the chairmanship then I shall have to decide whether I will accept it."

WOMAN JOINS FEUD OF BIG FINANCIERS

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Mrs. Laura Fell of No. 150 Main street, Orange, N. J., one of the wealthy women of that city, is interested in the $80,000,000 contest for the control of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, and is a supporter of John C. Osgood in the fight against the Gould-Gates-Harriman combination. Mrs. Fell has issued a circular letter to the stockholders, of whom she is one, asking them to give Mr. Osgood their proxies.

CORNER STONE LOST, LIBRARY MUST WAIT

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The World this morning says: The city of New Brunswick, N. J., is erecting a $50,000 library building, for which Mr. Carnegie supplies the funds. The granite corner stone was to have been laid last week. The stone was shipped from Barre, Vt., where it was quarried over two weeks ago, but it has been lost in transit, and although tracers have been sent out, no sign of the missing block of granite has been seen.

TO DISTRIBUTE SCHOLARSHIPS.

Cecil Rhodes' Bequests Soon to Come to Americans.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Dr. George Parkin, the commissioner who is charged with the distribution of the Cecil Rhodes scholarships in the colonies and United States, returned today from England.

"There are some 200 scholarships to be distributed in the states and colonies," said Dr. Parkin. Each scholarship carries with it $1,500 a year for three years. The first beneficiaries will go to Oxford in the fall of 1904, consequently the final awards will be made early in that year."

FLINN SYNDICATE TO SPEND $11,000,000 AT CAPE MAY AND REVIVE ITS PRESTIGE

Four Thousand Acres of Ground Is to Be Beautified With Yachting Lake and Costly Hotels and Cottages.

UNION STEEL RAILROAD CERTAIN

With the official announcement yesterday of the plans of the Flinn syndicate for Cape May came a statement in behalf of Senator William Flinn, chairman of the executive committee of the new Union Steel Company, that that interest will build from the Moon property, at Elk Creek harbor, an independent railroad of 200 miles, which will not only reach the steel plants at Sharon and Donora, but will pierce the Connellsville coke regions, where both the Union and its new constituent concern, the Sharon Steel Company, own valuable coking properties.

Partial surveys have been made for this railroad, as exclusively told in The Gazette, and it is understood that rights of way will be secured so that creation may be well along by the time that the reorganized Union Company shall its complement of seven blast furnaces, with combined output of 4,200 tons, ready for operation.

The statement issued yesterday, in relation to the Cape May plans, declares that the estimate on expenditure by the Flinn syndicate, or rather, the Beechwood Improvement Company, limited, which will manage the enterprise, will aggregate $11,000,000.

To Out-Strip All Other Resorts.

The aim is to make Cape May outstrip anything in the way of a refined resort for the year 'round, on the Atlantic coast. Announcement of the plans were made yesterday by Peter Shields, the well-known real estate investor, who is secretary and treasurer of the Beechwood Improvement Company. While it is not therein stated, it is understood that the Colonial Trust Company of Pittsburgh will finance the eastern enterprise. Mr. Shields' statement, after announcing that the essential papers were filed on Saturday at Trenton, N. J., follows:

Pittsburgh capitalists have bought over 4,000 acres of land in and around Cape May and propose making changes that will revolutionize that famous resort. Their plans include the building of a new city, which they propose making one of the finest all-the-year-'round resorts in the world. In this they will be aided by the United States government and the Pennsylvania and Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Companies. Careful estimates of the cost of the project aggregate $11,000,000.

Big Men Are Mentioned.

For some weeks there have been rumors that a syndicate of which H. C. Frick, George J. Gould of New York, A. J. Cassatt of Philadelphia and other prominent men of other cities, were members, proposed making Cape May an international resort. Although those in the scheme worked quietly, the project was of such magnitude that it was impossible to keep it under cover. An inkling of what was going on has come to the surface from time to time, but it was not until today that the facts and real extent of the enterprise could be made known. The projectors intend making the new Cape May an attractive high-class place of resort for the best families of the United States. With this in view they are sparing no expense on the proposed improvements.

The project was started several months ago by Anthony M. Zane of Philadelphia. He was ably represented in the details by

Continued on 2d Page, 4th Column.

THEATER BEING BUILT IN CHURCH BASEMENT

Pastor Says Plays Will Not Be Wholly of Religious Character.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Herald Building, Herald Square, NEW YORK, Nov. 30.

New York is to have a theater opened under the same roof and as a component part of one of its churches. The Rev. Walter E. Bentley, rector of the Protestant Episcopal church of the Holy Sepulchre, in Seventy-fourth street, near Park avenue, made the announcement from his pulpit this evening on the occasion of the 13th regular service of the Active Church Alliance, of which for four years he has been the general secretary. He said:

"The basement of this church is now being reconstructed to adapt it to the purposes of a theater," he said. "It will be made as complete as possible, with a stage, wings, flies and scenery. When the alterations are completed it is our purpose to produce plays there, largely, though not wholly, of a religious character. We hope to do this through the co-operation of our own dramatic league and with the aid of outside talent."

Burglar Caught in House.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—About 11 o'clock tonight word was sent to the police that a burglar was in the residence of A. H. Martin and Chief Perry M. Strayer and Officer Cowan found that the burglar had been cornered by the inmates of the house in the kitchen. Entering the room they found a burly Hungarian, pretending to be drunk. He was taken to the lockup where he would give no information regarding himself.

GIRLS CLAIM PITTSBURGHER AS THEIR THEATRICAL ANGEL

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(Special.)—Miss Dora Rowcos of New York, who played the part of the bride in the performance of Lafayette, the magician, and Misses Eleanore and Linore Geesinger, of Orrville, Ohio, also members of Lafayette's company, deserted the company here Friday night and went to Pittsburgh. They told friends here that a wealthy mine owner of Pennsylvania had agreed to start them at the Empire Theater, London, in a play he had bought for them. He is said to have left here with them, but his name is not known.

SUICIDE OF ONE MAN CAUSES DEATH OF ANOTHER

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Heartbroken over the self-destruction of his friend, George B. Norton of Paterson, N. J., fell dead in the arms of two companions an hour after the discovery of the body of Walter H. Sheppard in his room in a Paterson boarding house.

Sheppard, who was a West Point graduate and a man of considerable talents, killed himself Saturday morning because of despondency over having been divorced from his wife.

One of the first to see the body of Sheppard lying on the bed was Norton, who subsequently dropped dead. He had become a friend of Sheppard, and they were together much of the time.

Central - Adult
Cop.

LARKIN DEMANDS COURT HEARING

Controller and His Attorney Go Before Judge Shafer Today.

HE STILL REFUSES TO PAY

Judge Buffington to Be Asked to Investigate the Cause of the Delay—Sixth Warders Are to Meet.

Controller John P. Larkin and his attorneys, W. B. Rodgers and George W. Guthrie, will go before Judge J. D. Shafer in common pleas court No. 2 this morning at 9 o'clock and demand the right to be heard in the mandamus proceedings brought by the Mercantile Trust Company to enforce the payment of the five estimates for work on the new Highland reservoir.

If the court refuses to grant a hearing a request will be made that it suspend judgment until an appeal can be taken to the state supreme court. Bondsmen will be on hand to go the controller's bail if the court insists upon the summary execution of its order. If bail is refused by the court there will be no alternative for the controller but to go to jail and remain in confinement until an effort is made to secure his release by a habeas corpus proceeding.

Larkin Will Not Pay.

Controller Larkin is determined that he will not pay the remaining estimates on the reservoir until the court has given him a hearing and passed upon his reasons for refusing payment. The controller alleges that he can show that there was fraud in the construction of the reservoir, and that the present insecure condition of the reservoir is due to fraudulent changes in the plans and specifications. He wishes to submit this evidence to the court in proper form and is satisfied that if he is given an impartial hearing that the court will not compel him to pay for the reservoir.

Controller Larkin states that he is ready to submit to a decision of the court after all the evidence is heard, but he contends that his answer in the first case, which was decided against him by the county and the supreme court upon the question of the controller's executive powers, does not apply to the present case in which he claims that he is withholding payment on the ground of fraud in the fulfillment of the contract.

Not Guilty of Contempt.

The controller will contend before Judge Shafer today that he is not guilty of contempt, as he obeyed the order of court in the first case, which directed him only to pay the April estimates, and did not mention any other estimates. Judge Shafer, in his opinion Saturday, assumes that the controller has no reason to offer for not paying the estimates for May, June, July, August and September, which were not produced in the first case, but the controller says that this assumption on the part of the court is erroneous.

The controller agreed Saturday to give the Mercantile Trust Company his answer this afternoon at 2 o'clock regarding the five unpaid estimates. If called for, his answer will be in the negative. As stated yesterday in The Gazette, he will not pay the remaining estimates until the court has a chance to consider the evidence he has to submit.

Rather than pay up in advance he will go to jail. The statement of Stephen Stone, son of Gov. Stone and one of the attorneys for the Mercantile Trust Company, that the controller promised to pay the remaining estimates this afternoon is denied by the controller. The controller claims that he made no such promise.

Guthrie Demands Investigation.

Attorney George W. Guthrie will ask Judge Joseph Buffington to investigate the cause for delay in the suit filed last Tuesday in the United States circuit court by M. A. McSwiggan, a non-resident taxpayer, to restrain the controller from paying any more money on the reservoir. The papers in the case were filed by Attorney Guthrie and it is alleged that the court's attention was never called to them.

An excuse is offered that Mr. Guthrie failed to pay the $5 fee which is exacted when new suits are filed. It is claimed that this rule is not adhered to in cases where the parties filing the suit are known to be responsible, as in the present instance.

Carried Off the Papers.

Judge Buffington's attention will also be called to the fact that Stephen Stone, attorney for the Mercantile Trust Company, was immediately apprised of the filing of the suit and was permitted to carry off the papers, although no demand was made upon Mr. Guthrie for the fee, the non-payment of which is said to have prevented the suit from being entered upon the records.

The citizens of the Sixth ward are indignant at the course being pursued by the controller's opponents in the reservoir case and they will hold a meeting tonight to discuss the matter and adopt some measure to assist the controller in his fight. An organization to assist the controller in this emergency and others that may arise will be formed. It is expected that some red-hot resolutions will be adopted.

KAISER'S CLASSMATE HUSTLES FOR TIPS

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Working for $10 a week and what he can make on tips, Frederick Mueller, who says he once was the classmate of Emperor William and his brother, Prince Henry, is serving drinks and "lunch" in a bowling alley run in connection with a saloon in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Seventh avenue.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived November 30.

New York—Campania from Liverpool.
New York—Canadian from Liverpool.
New York—St. Louis from Southampton.
Lizard—Pennland from Philadelphia.
Lizard—Minneapolis from New York.
Lizard—Vaderland from New York.
Naples—Cambrian from Boston.
Queenstown—Ivernia from Boston.

Sailed November 30.

Queenstown—Umbria for New York.
Moville—Ethiopia for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Amelia Bingham in "A Modern Magdalen," 8:15 p. m.
NEW GRAND—New stock company in "Miss Hobbs," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
BIJOU—"For Her Children's Sake," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
DUQUESNE—Lafayette and his show, 8 p. m.
EMPIRE—"Fiddle-Dee-Dee," 8:15 p. m.
ACADEMY—Fred Irwin's Big Show, 8 p. m.
AVENUE—John L. Sullivan, 20 minutes of opera and vaudeville stars, in continuous vaudeville, from 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.
CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Loan exhibition, open from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating.
ALLEGHENY CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Free organ recital by City Organist H. P. Eager, 8 p. m.

For Over 60 Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

NATURE'S WINDING SHEET WAS THROWN OVER GRAVE YARD AND BUSY STREET ALIKE YESTERDAY

(Photographed by a Gazette Artist at 5:30 o'clock last evening.)

Looking Across the Graveyard of Trinity Church Toward Sixth Avenue from The Gazette Office.

NO TINKERING WITH TARIFF THIS SESSION

Continued from First Page.

vestigate conditions with reference to the tariff and such a commission will undoubtedly be appointed. This will be the sum total of action on the tariff at this session.

President Firm on Trusts.

On the question of trusts the message will be firm. The president will recommend that an amendment to the Sherman anti-trust law be passed, in line with the ideas set forth by Attorney General Knox in his Pittsburgh speech. From the statements of members it is quite certain that such a recommendation from the president will be complied with by congress. It is probable that the attorney general will draft the measure that will come before congress, as his ideas are indorsed by the leading Republicans as a reasonable and conservative solution of the trust problem.

Senator Quay will lead the fight for statehood for Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona. The omnibus statehood bill, in which the three territories pooled their cause and asked for admission to the union, has passed the house and is now in the senate where, according to the interviews given by some of the senators, it will have rough sailing. A special committee with Senator Beveridge as chairman, has just returned from a tour through the three territories made for the purpose of investigating their fitness to become members of Uncle Sam's family.

Favors Oklahoma Only.

Mr. Beveridge refuses to give any intimation as to what the committee will report, but there is a rumor afloat that the report will favor the admission of Oklahoma and the rejection of New Mexico and Arizona. It is believed by the friends of the bill that if such a report is made it will be for the purpose of defeating the measure, the plan being to kill it in conference.

Mr. Quay will not consent to any compromise. He and his friends will insist upon the admission of all three or none, and they will make a hard fight for the passage of the bill as it came from the house. The population of the territories is as follows: Oklahoma, 398,331; New Mexico, 195,310; Arizona, 122,931.

Representative Cooper, chairman of the house committee on insular affairs, will make an attempt to secure an amendment to the Philippine administrative law that will put the monetary system of the islands upon a gold basis. Mr. Cooper says that reports received from Gov. Taft show the necessity of putting the currency of the Philippines upon a stable foundation and he will introduce a bill to this end.

One Bill Without Opposition.

There is no opposition expected to the bill establishing a department of commerce. This measure passed the senate at the first session, and is now before the house. A question that is causing some discussion is what bureaus shall be transferred to the new department when it is created. A commission representing the governmental department is now at work on this question and recently had an interview with the president. It is generally believed that George B. Cortelyou, the president's private secretary, will be appointed to the new cabinet position.

The principal work that is mapped out for this session is the passage of the appropriation bills. Several of these bills are now made up and ready for congressional consideration. It is believed that all will be passed before the holiday recess. They provide for expenditures amounting to about $800,000,000.

There is little talk heard among members in favor of an extra session. Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota wants one for the purpose of taking up the tariff and the trusts, but it is not believed, in the light of the present situation, that the president will consider an extra session necessary.

Artists Have Been Busy.

Many improvements have been made at the capitol since last adjournment and everything is now in readiness for congress. The artists have made statuary hall into a handsome room and the house wing corridors have been artistically decorated in water colors. The ways and means committee rooms have been refitted and furnished in mahogany.

It is probable that congress will follow precedent and adjourn early tomorrow out of respect for the members who have died since the last session. The senate has lost Senator McMillan of Michigan, and there will be 17 changes in the house by death and resignation. Gen. R. A. Alger is here, and will take Mr. McMillan's seat by appointment of the governor.

LOUIS W. STRAYER.

KRUPP'S DETRACTOR IS UNDER ARREST

HAMBURG, Nov. 30.—The German painter, Christian Aliers, a resident of Capri Island, who, it is alleged, was responsible for the charges brought against the late Herr Krupp, has been arrested at the Swiss frontier.

Fatality Season Closes.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Nov. 30.—The season for hunting deer in the northern woods closed today. Fatalities have been unusually frequent in the woods this season, 14 men having been killed while hunting deer in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan. At least 11 others have been seriously wounded.

GENUINE CHICKERING PIANOS.

Recognized the standard of the world, oldest in America. Best in the world. Conceded to be the only perfect piano made. Sold only by W. F. FREDERICK, 633 Smithfield street. G. Schroeder, Mgr. Largest dealers between New York and Chicago.

GAMBLERS GETTING READY FOR A HARVEST

Bridle Is Taken Off by the Police to Allow Holiday Pickings.

So confident are the gamblers of Pittsburgh that they will not be disturbed by Superintendent of Police John McAleese, that they are making special preparations far carrying on their business during the holidays. New resorts are to be opened and games of chance of all descriptions are to be played. The gamblers' confidence has been restored through certain downtown councilmen, who have been assured that the police department will in no way interfere with the gaming resorts.

The various police officials have declared their unwillingness to lay hands on the gamblers. At the same time they have knowledge that these resorts have been opened again, and the police admit that there are more gamblers in the city at the present time than ever before in the history of Pittsburgh. Last night the gambling houses in the downtown section of the city were running more openly than ever.

Three establishments are being well patronized. The gamblers who were threatened and frightened by Superintendent McAleese several months ago, now say they have nothing to fear from that quarter or the city recorder's office.

In spite of the fast that Recorder Brown in his speech to city councils on the day of his installation to office declared that he would be "a foe to the thief, thug and the gambler," he pertains these people to carry on their nefarious business.

AMERICAN INVASION IS TO BE ORGANIZED

Meeting Called in Berlin December 4 to Form Chamber of Commerce.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

(Copyright, 1902, by New York Herald Co.)

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—An American chamber of commerce is being organized here, modeled on the Paris chamber, and composed of representative Americans in the German capital who are identified with the so-called "American invasion." Invitations have been issued for an organization meeting at the Hotel Bristol, on December 4, at which Consul General Mason will preside.

The project received its first incentive at the Thanksgiving banquet at the Kaiserhof, and finds universal encouragement. Competition has become so severe, the laws in many cases are so retroactive and the opposition so combined that Americans in business in Germany have felt the necessity of organizing a chamber of commerce, not so much for aggressive or defensive work as for mutual discussion of questions relating to German-American trade.

This applies particularly to electrical and agricultural machinery tools, novelties and other branches of trade.

PENROSE CANDIDATE ONLY FOR SENATE

Declares Talk of Him Becoming Mayor of Philadelphia Is Work of Dreamer.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.

"I am a candidate for United States senator and not for any other office," said United States Senator Boies Penrose this evening.

"What does the mention of your name for the nomination for mayor of Philadelphia signify?" was asked.

"I'm sure I don't know. Someone must have started the story who had nothing else to write about, but there isn't the slightest foundation for it."

Senator Penrose came to Washington this evening and took quarters at the New Willard hotel. He was very emphatic in his denial of the stories concerning his candidacy for the mayoralty nomination, and he was just as forceful in adding that his re-election to the senate is assured. L. W. STRAYER.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

CHRISTMAS MUSIC.

An elegant line of the most desirable instruments on the market, including the delightful Stella music boxes and Victor talking machines at from $15 to $100. Band instruments of all kinds, and everything else in the musical line, appropriate for Christmas gifts.

Catalogue Free—Send for one.

S. HAMILTON.
Hamilton Building,
835 and 837 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh.

FLINN SYNDICATE TO SPEND $10,000,000 AT CAPE MAY

Continued from First Page.

Capt. F. G. Edwards of Bristol, Pa., owner of the steamer Republic. These gentlemen were instrumental in interesting the Beechwood Improvement Company, limited, of which William Flinn, ex-state senator, is the president.

Flinn Has Other Irons.

Mr. Flinn is also the principal owner of the Sharon Steel Company, which last week consolidated with the Union Steel Company, owned chiefly by A. W. and R. B. Mellon and H. C. Frick.

This Union Company will build their own railroad a distance of 200 miles from the lakes to the coke regions. The new company will have a capital of $50,000,000. It will be the largest independent steel plant in this country.

Senator Flinn is also interested in several of the largest financial institutions in Pittsburgh and has the reputation of always making a success of all his undertakings.

He has made a number of trips to Cape May in the interest of the project.

The Pittsburghers have so far expended $800,000 on purchases and options on land. They bought 3,000 acres in Cape May city and adjoining. They also bought 1,000 acres on Two Mile beach and own it exclusively. This beach adjoins Cold Spring inlet and will be made a continuation of Cape May. The company has also purchased the Cape May electric light plant for $160,000.

Paradise for Yachtsmen.

Following an outlay of millions of dollars on improvements, the company will spend several millions more to attract people to Cape May, not only during the summer but all the year round. To make it a yachtsmen's paradise, deep waterways will be dug and yachts with their rich owners will be attracted from all parts of the world. For years New York yachtsmen have complained of there being no place between Sandy Hook and Delaware Bay where yachts can tie up. The Pittsburghers propose constructing a 600-acre lake for yachts. Conferences with government officials at Washington have resulted in promises or agreements to deepen Cold Spring inlet so that the largest ocean-going steamers may come into the lake. Around this lake will be scores of cottages for yachtsmen and their families.

Between Cape May and Atlantic City, 40 miles distant, there are many waterways which are perfectly safe and navigable, and over which yachts can be sailed without going out to sea. It is proposed to improve these waterways and draw people from Atlantic City. Although Cape May is a much older place than Atlantic City, the latter has outstripped it in the race for popularity as a resort.

Aided by the city, the Pittsburghers will pave all streets, lay new sidewalks and sewer the entire place. The natural forestry and foliage for which the city is famous will be preserved, and trees will be planted along all new streets.

Railroads Will Help Along.

The Pennsylvania and the Reading officials who want to see Cape May resume its former glory have planned big improvements in train service to and from the place. The Pennsylvania will relay 80 miles of track between Philadelphia and Cape May, and by putting on heavier locomotives will cut down the running time from two hours to a little over an hour, by running bridge express trains. The Reading will also run fast express trains from the terminal to the new resort. To relieve the pressure on Atlantic City, and divert traffic to Cape May, through sleeping cars will be run from New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, and the south and west. Passengers from these cities may ride to Cape May without changing cars.

Several immense palatial hotels are planned. While Cape May has a number of big hotels now, including the Stockton and Congress hall, the Pittsburghers will build two and perhaps three of the most modern seaside hotels, with hot sea water baths and all other modern appurtenances.

This winter 100 cottages will be built and will be ready for occupancy next June. The work of rebuilding the city will begin December 1 or soon after, when the necessary land will be secured and contracts let. The 100 cottages will cost $10,000 each, and will be built by a Philadelphia firm.

Giant Sand Dredges to Work.

New style sand dredges designed by Mr. Flinn will be used to construct the large inland lake. The sand from the lake will be used for filling in the improved acreage fronting the ocean and lake, which will be laid out in building lots.

The first hotel, which will cost $1,000,000, will probably be located half way between Madison avenue and Sewells Point on the beach front. The second hotel will cost $800,000, and will probably be erected near Madison avenue. It is understood that the Pennsylvania railroad will tear down the old Sea Breeze hotel and erect on the site a new one.

About 3,000 men will be employed all winter on the improvements.

The Cape May citizens and public officials are meeting the new enterprise with open arms. The people have already voted $100,000 for a new boardwalk and bulkhead along the beach front of this property. The city of Cape May has also agreed to rebuild the water works and has already expended $125,000 on this project, the water now being the best along the Atlantic coast.

The riparian commission of the state of New Jersey has already granted all the water rights to the East Cape May Company and at their last meeting, November 20, took preliminary steps toward getting the company equal rights to Two Mile beach. While this island is called Two Mile beach, the waterways around this property measure seven and one-half miles.

PASTOR YOUNG PAID WARM TRIBUTE TO DR. JOSEPH PARKER

The Rev. Dr. S. Edward Young, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, who has frequently met the late Rev. Dr. Joseph Parker in London, paid tribute to him at Second Presbyterian church yesterday morning in the following words: "The last giant Cedar of Lebanon has fallen—Spurgeon, Phillips Brooks, Moody, Talmage, gone, and now Parker is no more. A pulpit orator? Nay, more, a preacher to preachers, a pump-primer for all teachers and ministers whose wells of salivation needs starting to flow, an exegete whose eagle eye saw new meaning in each text, whose genius flashed forth in unexpected illustration and whose elocution could give it a tenderness, or a thunder which printed words could never hint. With Spurgeon and Gladstone he made Englishmen the globe over prouder of their blood and every user of the English tongue nearer kin to every other. His masterfulness and unique career plead with us to think straight under the full blaze of the Eternal's throne, say what we think without quirk of voice, or shrug of shoulder, and after that think something fresh again and say it too. His achievements call aloud for our brainiest young men to enter the ministry, which has only six new candidates among the Irish Presbyterian church this fall and only 13 in the United Free church of Scotland and far fewer than during recent years in America.

FROSTY WEATHER IS HERE AGAIN

Two Inches of Snow Covered Pittsburgh and Its Vicinity.

IT PLEASED MERCHANTS

Tailors, Furriers and Dealers in Holiday Goods Delighted With Cold Weather—Frigid Trolley Cars Caused Indignation.

There was a familiar face among the drummers that visited Pittsburgh yesterday when old Frosty Weather came down out of the north and spread around a few samples. He has some bran new wares this trip and yesterday worked the entire territory included in the Appalachian highlands. According to Forecaster Frank Ridgway, who is on intimate terms with old Frosty Weather, the sample of November snow placed on view yesterday was two inches in depth. This is the biggest early winter stock of the "beautiful" seen here in several years.

Old Frosty played one of his peculiar pranks on the country this trip. Off the highlands and the valleys intervening there is clear weather and no snow. Away out in windy Nebraska the temperature was 40 degrees, while in Pittsburgh and the eastern part of the country it was 30 degrees and under. In Jacksonville, Fla., it was 60 degrees last night—good strawberry weather.

Yesterday's storm was hailed with delight by Pittsburgh merchants, who have been complaining of the tardiness of Frosty Weather. The tailors today expect to get to work on their overcoat orders, the man with sealskins to sell sees a harvest coming and dealers in holiday goods are preparing for a flourishing business.

Frosty weather took the traction companies by surprise and passengers, who shivered and sat with numb hands and feet in the frigid cars of the Pittsburgh Railways Company were provoked to say things not quite complimentary to either the weather or the traction company. The cars on the Center and Negley, and the North Highland avenue lines were not provided with the electrical heating apparatus, and in the absence of stoves were almost untenable. On the other lines where the new cars were operated there was no complaint.

When the New York and Chicago limited pulled into the Union station last night the train looked as if it had passed through a pack of polar ice. The sides and windows were covered with ice, while large icicles hung down from the roofs of the Pullmans. The trucks were heavily laden with snow, while a sheeting of ice also covered the wheels. The most severe snowfall, the trainmen said, was in the Juniata and Susquehanna valleys, where the weather was very cold.

The snow had no effect on the movements of trains on the Pennsylvania railroad, as better time was made by them yesterday than for some time past. All the locomotives on this road will shortly be equipped with what is known as flange ice cutters. The cutters are placed on the pilot and can be attached in a few hours' time. The Baltimore & Ohio is also preparing engines for the ice cutters, and will place them within the next few days.

WALKS TO HIS DEATH SINGING RECESSIONAL

Song Stops in Middle of Bar and Cries for Help Are Unavailing.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 30.

John Koenig, a watchman, employed in Ferguson's furniture factory at Eighth and Jackson streets, at 3 o'clock this morning heard a deep voice issuing from the darkness chanting Kipling's "Recessional." The spot is one of the most desolate imaginable at night, being part of the swamp district of Hoboken. Koenig peered out over the murky swamp, but could distinguish nothing, though the notes of the "Recessional" still rung out on the night air.

"Someone going up the hill to Jersey Heights," he muttered, and dismissed the matter from his mind.

Just then the singing stopped abruptly in the middle of a bar, and then came loud cries for help from the spot where the notes of the "Recessional" had issued.

Again and again the agonized cries were heard, and the watchman hurried in the direction whence they issued, only to find his passage barred by several feet of water. The cries continued, growing fainter each time, and finally ceased.

At daybreak the body of John Dunham of Hoboken was fished up out of a deep pool. An examination of the ground showed the man's tracks as he walked to his death while singing.

CAPT. H. O. PRICE ILL.

Late Last Night the Doctors Held Out Hope That He Might Recover.

Capt. H. O. Price, a sportsman known all over the United States, who has been ill with pneumonia at the home of E. L. Rooney at Liberty and Mathilda streets, was for awhile last night not expected to live. He rallied and sank alternately, and although his hold on life was precarious he took nourishment shortly before midnight, when the doctors held out some hope for his recovery. His daughter, Miss Carrie Price, arrived from Hot Springs last night and his wife and son are expected on the 3 o'clock train this morning.

Capt. Price is manager of Whittington park, Hot Spriggs, Ark., and it was to close a deal for the use of the park by the Pittsburgh baseball club that he came here.

PRETTY WOMAN IS TO BE RELEASED

Mrs. Eagle, Charged With the Murder of Edna Varner, Will Go Free.

Mrs. Ella Eagle, who was indicted by the grand jury for the murder of Edna Varner, the 13-year-old girl who was shot in Mrs. Eagle's house in Avalon, on May 5, will be arraigned for trial this week. Assistant District Attorney John S. Robb, Jr., will try the case for the commonwealth, and J. Scott Ferguson will look after the interests of the defendant.

It is believed that the case will be nolle prossed as the commonwealth has not sufficient evidence to go to trial. Evidence of a damaging nature pointed to Mrs. Eagle after the shooting. Upon these facts she was arrested, held for the grand jury and indicted. It was first thought that the little girl had committed suicide. At the post mortem examination Dr. Walter G. McCandless found that it would have been impossible for the girl to shoot herself in the heart and then replace the revolver on a shelf in a cupboard, some 20 feet away.

Mrs. Ella Eagle.

It was also learned that Mrs. Eagle was the only person in the house on that morning and she was seen to rush out after the shooting. Mrs. Eagle had taken Edna Varner to raise and the girl's duties were to look after Mrs. Eagle's children.

FUGITIVE COUNCILMAN WEEPS WITH HIS WIFE

Mrs. Kelly Travels from St. Louis to Philadelphia to Tell of Child's Death.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Public Ledger Building,
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.

Charles S. Kelly, former speaker of the St. Louis house of delegates, under arrest here awaiting requisition papers, met his wife today for the first time since the expose of the councilmanic bribery, which made him a fugitive.

When informed that his wife, accompanied by his attorney, had arrived, Kelly was all smiles. Mrs. Kelly is an attractive young woman. She was very nervous while waiting her husband's arrival in the superintendent's office.

When the door opened and Kelly was admitted his wife ran towards him and threw her arms about his neck. Both broke down and cried like children.

Finally Kelly, still sobbing, spoke of his dead child. The story of the little one's death was re-told by his wife, and at the conclusion Kelly sank into a chair, murmuring between sobs: "My child, my child."

At the conclusion of the interview Kelly told the lawyer the story of his flight. He seemed very anxious to return and expressed a hope that the requisition papers would not be delayed longer than necessary. They are expected tomorrow, and immediately after they come the accused will start for St. Louis.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

PARENTS ARRESTED.

Two Children Whose Lives Are Insured Die of Arsenical Poisoning—Two Others Are Ill.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Neither the police nor the coroner will give any information bearing upon the arrest of John Williams and his wife, whose children, Annie, aged 9, and Josephine, 2, both insured, died from arsenical poisoning. Williams was arrested last night, his wife this morning.

The parents collected $115 upon the life of Annie, and $59 upon Josephine. Laura, another daughter aged 11, died mysteriously in January. Her life was insured for $210, which the parents collected.

Three other children are living, John, aged 8, Alice, 5, and Edna, 6 months. John and Alice are insured. They were suddenly taken sick a week ago, but the doctors at the Hahnemann hospital fixed them up.

DEXTER, ME., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Hattie L. Whitten, who was arrested yesterday on the charge of having killed her little daughters to procure the insurance money on their lives, committed suicide this afternoon by hanging herself to a bedpost with two towels. The children were insured for $250 and $85 respectively. Mrs. Whitten's husband also died suddenly two years ago.

Dedrick Has Appendicitis.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Dr. T. S. Dedrick, who accompanied Lieut. Peary on his latest junket no th polewards, is in St. Luke's hospital. Prof. Carl V. Vischer, chief of the surgical staff, today operated successfully upon the doctor for appendicitis. It is believed that he will recover.

Blasting Causes Suicide.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Crazed by the incessant blasting for the rapid transit tunnel under One Hundred and Fourth street, Byron W. Greene, a dealer in building materials, committed suicide today by shooting himself through the head.

Scrofula

Few are entirely free from it.

It may develop so slowly as to cause little if any disturbance during the whole period of childhood.

It may then produce irregularity of the stomach and bowels, dyspepsia, catarrh, and marked tendency to consumption before manifesting itself in much cutaneous eruption or glandular swelling.

It is best to be sure that you are quite free from it, and for its complete eradication you can rely on

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The best of all medicines for all humors.

WAITER PROVES AN ANARCHIST

Conversation of Diners Throws Him Into Furious Denunciation of Capital.

HE DRAWS A REVOLVER

Is Thrown Into Street When He Attempts to Shoot Proprietor. Mild Manners and Quiet Demeanor Cloak for Fanaticism.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 30.

Presence of mind and quickness of action saved J. S. Wirsing, restauranteur, in Sands street, Brooklyn, from being shot by an anarchist last Saturday afternoon. The man came to Wirsing's place, representing himself as a thoroughly experienced waiter, and applied for work. Mr. Wirsing hired him. To all appearances mild mannered and attentive to his duties, the new waiter favorably impressed his employer.

Two business men, regular customers at Wirsing's, came in Saturday for lunch. While being served, their conversation drifted to a discussion of the Rev. Dr. Hillis' recent sermon on the relations of capital and labor. They agreed with Dr. Hillis that the condition of the working people is constantly improving for the better.

The waiter stood by listening. Unmindful of the man's growing interest, one of the men said that from a mere standpoint of intellect and ability and because of the vast number of persons to whom avenues of employment are opened by such men as Morgan, Carnegie and Rockefeller, capitalists are not remunerated beyond their deserts. This roused the waiter. Excitedly he denounced capital.

"The trusts, having sowed the seed, must prepare to reap the whirlwind of revolution that is bound to come when the working people unite in a common cause," he shouted.

Wirsing ordered the man to calm down and get out. This only added flame to his wrath. When Wirsing made a move as if to enforce his verbal order, the waiter whipped out a revolver and shouting:

"You are all a lot of Kaffir minions of the trusts," raised the weapon as if to fire.

Quick as a flash Wirsing sprang forward, wrested the revolver from the waiter's hand and threw the man into the street. Outside, under threat of arrest, he disappeared. Wirsing does not know his waiter's name, nor has the man returned for his wages.

ENGLAND IS SEEKING GOLD FROM TRANSVAAL

Bars Shipped from South Africa to President Kruger Claimed by Britons.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—The British government is telegraphing to all the German ports, making inquiries concerning four gold bars worth $650,000, which it is supposed have been brought to this country from South Africa within the past fortnight. The bars are destined for former President Kruger and Dr. Leyds and, it is presumed, had been concealed in the Northern Transvaal. Great Britain will endeavor to legally attach the gold, on the ground that she is entitled to all the assets of the Transvaal.

Gen. Botha's reply to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain that the late Boer government had no assets was strictly true as far as he know, but since receiving Mr. Chamberlain's letter Gen. Botha learned, according to seemingly trustworthy information here, that Mr. Kruger and Dr. Leyds have in their possession $2,500,000. Gen. Botha requested them to turn over this gold for the benefit of the Boer people, but Dr. Leyds refused, averring that the money was to be used in upholding the Boer nationality in the future.

Gen. Botha has notified Dr. Leyds that unless the gold is given up legal proceedings will be brought against him.

BRIDE WAS MURDERED.

An Indiana Man Is Charged With Killing His Wife.

ELWOOD, IND., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Charles Dubois, a bride of but a few months, was found dead in her room late yesterday with a bottle of carbolic acid lying at her side and a note in which was stated her intention of taking her life.

An autopsy was held last night and no poison was found in her stomach. The side of her head was crushed, apparently by the blow of a blunt instrument. The coroner held an inquest today which led to the arrest of Charles Dubois, the husband of the dead woman, who is charged with her murder.

Czar Will Visit Rome.

ROME, Nov. 30.—The pope today gave an audience to the Grand Duke Sergius, who announced to his holiness the czar's intention to visit Rome. The pope said he anticipated with great pleasure making the acquaintance of the czar.

HARDMAN PIANOS.

The only piano that improves with use. Over 50 years before the public. Reasonable prices. Sold only by W. F. FREDERICK, 633 Smithfield street. Largest stock of pianos in Pittsburgh.

DIED.

O'HARA—On Sunday, November 30, 1902, at 2:15 p. m., WILLIAM, husband of Bridget O'Hara (nee O'Shea), aged 3[illegible] years.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 515 Taylor avenue, Avalon, Pa., on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Francis Xavier church at 9. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Take Avalon cars to Birmingham avenue.

THE WORLD'S BEST PIANOS

Are Now Sold in This City Under One Roof by One Dealer.

A FACT WORTHY OF YOUR NOTICE

W. F. Frederick, the music dealer at 633 Smithfield street, has the sole selling agency for Chickering, Hardman, Kroeger, McPhail, Behr Bros., Haines & Co. pianos, and as many others, if less known by the public, are equally meritorious. Besides the pianos named we sell Estey and Mason & Hamlin organs and the best of all, the Chase & Baker Piano Player.

It is perfectly natural that the public should buy of us with such confidence. To be entrusted with the exclusive agency of the greatest pianos in the world is an indorsement of which we are justly proud. Coupled with our long and successful career, covering a quarter of a century, we say it is perfectly natural that the people should give us their confidence and their patronage.

W. F. FREDERICK, 633 Smithfield street. Entire six-story building.

G. SCHROEDER, Manager.

Don't Go Shopping All Over Town

Horse Blankets, Harness and Horse Supplies.

It is a well-known fact that we carry the largest assortment in the city and our prices the lowest. No matter what you want in Horse Goods, come in and see us and get the proper value for your money.

PITTSBURGH HARNESS SUPPLY CO.

137 SEVENTH STREET.

Now for Christmas!

WATCHES

Largest stock in the city to choose from.

SILVERWARE

Solid and Plated, Tea Sets, Knives, Forks and Spoons. All the most Beautiful Designs and at prices to suit everyone.

DIAMONDS

Set in Rings, Pendants, Studs, Earrings or Breastpins.

A full line of

SILVER NOVELTIES

Choice in design and low in price.

J. R. Reed & Co.

439 MARKET ST.

Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages there should be cleanliness.

Ely's Cream Balm

cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.

ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

ELY'S CREAM BALM CATARRH HAY-FEVER 50 CTS. ELY BROS. NEW YORK

FLEMING'S OLD EXPORT WHISKY IS BOTH HEALTHFUL AND HELPFUL

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGISTS — MARKET ST. COR. DIAMOND

BAKER'S Is the Best CODLIVER **OIL**

A trial would convince you.

J. C. BAKER CO.
Philadelphia, Pa.

Cures Colds.

JOYCE'S

Store will be Closed until Thursday, owing to the death of

Mr. John J. Folan

of this firm.

OVER $30,000 FOR STREET CAR MEN

Non-Accident Premiums for Over 1,500 Motormen and Conductors.

HANDY XMAS MONEY

Experiment Inaugurated by the Pittsburgh Railways Company Has Been a Good Thing for the Company and Employes.

On June 1 last the 3,000 motormen and conductors in the employ of the Pittsburgh Railways Company received an advance of 1 cent per hour in their wages. At the same time the company announced that it proposed trying the experiment, for at least six months, of paying non-accident premiums. The proposal was to pay an extra cent, in addition to the 1 cent advance in wages, to all employes against whom no accidents, resulting from their own carelessness, were charged, for each hour they were actually employed. These premiums were to be calculated and distributed as soon after December 1 as possible.

Over 1,500 Will Get Premiums.

As a result of this proposition, more than 1,500 of the motormen and conductors will each receive an average bonus of $20 a few days before Christmas. In other words, about 50 per cent of the army of men employed by the company will receive what will practically be a certificate that they are careful in the discharge of their duty. By December 20 the company's officers expect to pay out at least $30,000 in these premiums. Many more men than the company anticipated will be on the accidentless roll of honor and profit. One of the officers of the company said yesterday that if the names of the successful men were written on one sheet of paper in small handwriting it would require a sheet as big as the hearth in his sitting room.

Record Ended at Midnight.

Of course none of the conductors and motormen could be sure until midnight last night that his name would be among those who had worked a half-year without accident, for within the last hour of the six months an accident might mar the record previously made. The company itself will not know for two weeks the names of all the successful employes, for the reports from the various divisions must first be sent to the main office, and then compiled and tabulated by the clerks in charge of the matter.

Taking the records as they have run for six months it can be determined, it was said by officers of the company last night, that half of the 3,000 men will share in the bonuses to be distributed.

The man who has worked right along during the six months will probably have put in about 2,000 hours, so that at a cent an hour his premium would amount to $20.

When the company put the plan into effect it was hoped that the offer of bonuses would lessen the number of accidents, but unfortunately it cannot be definitely determined whether the scheme has worked out that way. The next term of six months, however, is expected to tell the story, as it is hoped that the actual experience of seeing and handling the cash bonuses will convince the men that it pays them to be careful in the handling of their cars.

Checks to Be Certificates.

There will be considerable satisfaction to the employes in the receiving of the bonuses, not only because of the amount of money involved, but also because the receipt of the premium will serve as a certificate of proficiency. The company has had special blank forms and books prepared for the bonus feature and has had a handsome check engraved, with which the bonuses will be paid. The checks will be presented at the pay window by the men who have received them, but after they have passed through the financial department they will be returned to the owners. A man leaving the employ of the company with such a document in his possession will hardly, it is believed, need any other recommendation from his employers to help him to procure place elsewhere.

This is the first time the non-accident premium plan has been tried in this city, it is taken for granted that it has proved a success and it will probably be continued.

THE WEATHER.

Fair

The local weather maker had in mind the fact that variety adds to the spice of life when he drew up his prognostications for today, and if the weather is not spicy, it will not be his fault. The Pittsburgh forecaster sees a fair and cooler weather. Out of the office of the big chief in Washington comes the word that it will be fair, followed by rain with a rise in the temperature.

With such a wide choice scarcely anybody can feel disappointed. The temperature was 30 degrees when the weatherman cried the atmosphere last night.

Time of sunrise today.....7:04 a. m.
Time of sunset today.....4:34 p. m.
Daily report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Temp.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.36	34	71	W.	Cloudy
8 p. m....	30.21	36	90	N.W.	Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for November 30:

	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	49	41	57	39	50	28
Minimum	34	31	44	33	19	19
Mean	37	36	50	36	30	24
Precipitation	0	T.	.01	.03	0	T.

Maximum temperature, 12 midnight.....42
Minimum temperature, 4 p. m.....29
Mean temperature.....36
Normal temperature for 31 years.....35
Excess in temperature for the day.....1
Excess in temperature since Nov. 1.....274
Excess in temperature since Jan. 1.....227
Normal precipitation for 31 years......60
Precipitation for the day.....14
Excess in precipitation for the day.....65
Deficiency in precipitation since Nov. 1....1.69
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1....5.57

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.—Forecast for Monday and Tuesday:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Monday, followed by rain, warmer Monday night and Tuesday; brisk southwest to south winds.

West Virginia—Fair in west, snow or rain in eastern portion Monday; Tuesday rain and warmer.

Ohio—Fair and warmer Monday, except probably rain along the lake; Tuesday rain; brisk southwest to south winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Chicago	36	Clear	Atlanta	46	Rain
Louisville	54	Clear	New Orleans	54	Cloudy
Nashville	38	Clear	Little Rock	46	Clear
Vicksburg	48	Cloudy	Jacksonville	66	Rain
Washington	36	Rain	Calgary	26	PtCldy
New York	36	Rain	Galveston	54	PtCldy
Cleveland	30	Clear	Norfolk	52	Rain
Cincinnati	34	Clear	Philadelphia	36	Rain
Cairo	40	Clear	St. Louis	42	Clear
Marquette	24	Clear	Grand Haven	42	Clear

Dr. Henry F. Garey's Opthalmo Oscillator "The Only Method" for cure of blindness. Office, 1502 Arrott building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

MORE IMPROVEMENTS MADE TO PREVENT TRACTION BLOCKADES ON DOWNTOWN STREETS

(Photographed by a Gazette Staff Artist.)

The track workmen of the Pittsburgh Railways Company spent another busy Sunday yesterday putting in new curves at Seventh street and Duquesne way, and at Wood street and Fourth avenue. The new curves are only a part of the comprehensive work that is being done by the company to prevent traction tie-ups at certain points. Take the curve at Wood street and Fourth avenue. Heretofore there has been but one curve, that over which the East End cars turned up Fourth avenue from Wood street. Now Liberty avenue cars can go up Fourth avenue when eastbound and by going as far as the Newsboys' home can go over to Sixth avenue, down Sixth avenue to Smithfield street and from there to Liberty street and out to their destination.

When the complete system of curves contemplated has been put down any cars on any main line can pass over to another main line and from there, by means of the curves, get back to their own tracks. It is the intention to put in curves at Fourth avenue and Smithfield street, at Third avenue and Smithfield, at Water street and Smithfield and perhaps at Fifth and Smithfield.

MACKRELL MAY BE A CANDIDATE

Friends Urging Him to Ask Governor to Appoint Him Sheriff.

MACHINE BACK OF HIM

Old Organization Leaders Hold That There Will Be a Vacancy in the Office After Noon January 5.

Friends of Archibald Mackrell are urging him to become a candidate for sheriff in case Gov. W. A. Stone appoints one to fill the office until January, 1904. He has not decided whether he will endeavor to secure the appointment.

The old organization will try to have the governor appoint a sheriff, holding that after noon, January 5 next, there will be a vacancy. It is at noon on the first Monday of January that the new county officials qualify. The death of Sheriff-elect James M. Fahnestock leaves Sheriff W. C. McKinley without a successor in office and this fact will be officially known on January 5.

The friends of Mackrell argue that with the failure of the successor of McKinley to qualify, a vacancy exists and that as soon as the matter is brought to the attention of the governor he will doubtless appoint a sheriff to hold the office until January, 1904. The appointments made by the executive during a recess of the senate do not need to be confirmed. The senate convenes January 6, and if Stone desires to avoid having his appointee go before the senate for confirmation he will have sufficient time to make the appointment the day before. The machine men concede that McKinley holds until the governor's appointee is qualified.

So far Sheriff McKinley has not discussed the question of his successor with the old organization leaders. He has announced, however, that he intends to make a fight to hold the office. His attorney has informed him that he is entitled to serve until his successor is elected. In case the governor appoints some of the organization men think that McKinley will not attempt to retain the office.

ACCIDENTAL SHOT OF FRIEND WAS FATAL

John Papst Dies from Wound. Cleveland Flyer Strikes Two Men.

John Papst, who was accidentally shot by John Charles Mortz on Saturday night in his home at Schoenville, died at the McKees Rocks hospital of his injuries yesterday afternoon. Mortz left the house after the shooting to get a physician and did not return. It is believed that he has escaped. It was reported by the McKees Rocks hospital yesterday that $200 the dead man had in his trunk is missing. Mortz was snapping the revolevr at Papst and did not know it was loaded. There was one charge in it and it entered Papst's right lung.

While cleaning the snow off the switches on the Fort Wayne railroad at Leetsdale yesterday two men were struck by the Cleveland flyer. John Natroni, 32 years old, was killed outright, and Michael Leechgar was seriously injured and taken to the Mercy hospital. Both lived at Leetsdale and were married.

William O'Hara of Avalon, a hammerman, employed by the La Belle Steel works, Allegheny, died yesterday afternoon of injuries received on November 26 while at work. He was 27 years old and married.

John Micus of Duquesne, 45 years old, a laborer, was run over by a street car of the Monongahela division of the Pittsburgh Railways Company early yesterday morning and died later at the McKeesport hospital of his injuries.

James Shipway of North Braddock died at his home yesterday afternoon of heart disease. He was 55 years old.

Never Makes Excuses.

A savings account is a friend that never turns a deaf ear when you need assistance. In the Pennsylvania Trust Company, 410 Smithfield street, savings accounts earn 4 per cent compound interest, and one dollar is all you need to start with.

COUNTY GIVEN MORE DELEGATES

Membership in Next Democratic State Convention Doubled.

MANY COUNTIES GAIN

There Will Be Four Hundred and Thirty-Six Votes in the Meeting of 1903—Control in Hands of a Few.

There will be 436 delegates in the next Democratic state convention, or an increase of 119 over the membership of the one held in Erie last June. The growth is caused by the large vote polled for Robert E. Pattison this fall.

Representation in Democratic conventions is based on the vote of the preceding state elections. One delegate is allowed for each 1,000 Democratic votes or a majority thereof. The Republicans have their representation on the presidential vote, and as a consequence a new apportionment is not required each year.

In the Erie convention this county had 13 votes, but in the next state meeting it will have 32. Philadelphia had 29 this year and will be entitled to 71 next. It will require 219 votes to control the next convention, and if the counties of Allegheny, Philadelphia, Berks, Lehigh, Luzerne, Montgomery, Schuylkill, Westmoreland, Northampton, York, Cambria and Fayette combine, they will be in the majority. The following table shows the number of delegates each county will be entitled to:

Adams	4	Lackawanna	8
Allegheny	32	Lancaster	8
Armstrong	3	Lawrence	2
Beaver	4	Lebanon	3
Bedford	4	Lehigh	10
Berks	17	Luzerne	17
Blair	5	Lycoming	7
Bradford	4	McKean	4
Bucks	8	Mercer	5
Butler	5	Mifflin	3
Cambria	5	Monroe	3
Cameron	1	Montgomery	14
Carbon	3	Montour	2
Center	5	Northampton	9
Chester	7	Northumberland	7
Clarion	3	Perry	2
Clearfield	6	Philadelphia	71
Clinton	3	Pike	1
Columbia	4	Potter	3
Crawford	6	Schuylkill	15
Cumberland	6	Snyder	1
Dauphin	8	Somerset	3
Delaware	5	Sullivan	1
Elk	4	Susquehanna	4
Erie	6	Tioga	3
Fayette	8	Union	2
Forest	1	Venango	4
Franklin	5	Warren	3
Fulton	1	Washington	6
Greene	4	Wayne	3
Huntingdon	2	Westmoreland	10
Indiana	3	Wyoming	2
Jefferson	3	York	15
Juniata	2		

In order to cut down the size of the convention the state committee at the meeting in April may change the basis of representation.

TWO NOVEL MEETINGS.

Similar Services for Men and Women at Bijou and Second Presbyterian Church.

A novel pair of religious services were held yesterday afternoon. One was a meeting for men only in the Bijou theater with moving pictures of the Oberammergau Passion Play by a kinetoscope, and addressed by the Rev. S. Edward Young, and its exact counterpart held at the same hour in the Second Presbyterian church, about a block away, addressed by Miss Jessie Ackerman.

The meeting in the Bijou theater was one of the largest ever held there. Mr. Young's topic was the "Appropriation of Righteousness and Wisdom." The text was taken from First Cor. i.:30.: "Christ Jesus, who of God, is made unto us wisdom and righteousness and sanctification and redemption."

At the close of the address some men arose and requested the prayers of God's people. Prof. Butts sang several solos.

The women's meeting was also largely attended. Miss Ackerman, who has just returned from a tour around the world, spoke on the "Homes and Women of the Holy Land." Miss Gertrude Steadman of Cincinnati, a well-known contralto, sang two solos.

Similar meetings will be held next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Jack Coslett Free Today.

Jack Cosiett, a former Pittsburgh policeman, will be released today from the Western penitentiary, where he has served a sentence of eight years, reduced by good conduct, for the killing of his brother-in-law, William Pugh, in Canonsburg on April 4, 1897.

Boy Killed While Hunting.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—While several lads were hunting yesterday Harry Thering, aged 14, was shot and died last night. Thering was lying down trying to start a rabbit when a rifle was discharged accidentally.

CHOOSING MODEL FOR MONUMENT

Committee of Hawkins Memorial Association Meets Jury of Experts.

ARE IN NEW YORK TODAY

As Soon as Design Is Selected Work Will Be Rushed in Order That Monument May Be Finished for July Reunion.

The executive committee of the Hawkins Memorial association, of which ex-Mayor William J. Diehl is chairman, will meet in New York this morning at 10 o'clock with the jury of sculptors to select the design for the monument and memorial to the late Col. Alexander L. Hawkins, commander of the Tenth Pennsylvania regiment, to be erected in Schenley park.

The committee left Pittsburgh last night, the members accompanying Chairman Diehl being Senator Charles Muehlbronner and Thomas J. Sample. As soon as the design is selected work will begin on the monument, which is to be finished for the reunion of the Tenth regiment in July next.

Forty-seven models of different designs have been submitted by sculptors. Fourteen artists refused to submit designs and 21 artists, who were asked, failed to respond.

Will Be Best Obtainable.

Chairman Diehl said yesterday that the monument will be as fine as $10,000, the amount of money at the disposal of the committee, can purchase. It will be surmounted by a life-size statue or bust of Col. Hawkins, 6 feet 1 inch in heighth, and resting on a pedestal about 14 feet high. The monument will stand at the intersection of the roads near the south Panther hollow bridge.

Theodore Mills, sculptor at the Carnegie museum, was one of the artists invited to compete. Mr. Mills started to work on a model soon after Col. Hawkins' death, but his other duties interfered and he has not been able to complete it in time for the contest.

He finished, however, a rough sketch, which represents the commander of the Tenth regiment standing in a characteristic attitude, surveying a field of action.

Experts Will Decide.

Mr. Mills intends to finish the model for another purpose, unless the committee fails to select a design this week that is satisfactory. Mr. Mills had made a number of designs of prominent men, one of the late Bishop Simpson of the Methodist church and another of John C. Calhoun, which was purchased by the state of South Carolina and the statue placed in a niche in the United States senate chamber.

Daniel C. French and Thomas Shields, famous sculptors of New York, and John W. Beatty, director of the Carnegie institute, compose the jury of experts that will make the selection for the Hawkins Memorial association.

The Feast of St. Andrew.

In Catholic and Protestant Episcopal churches the feast of St. Andrew was observed yesterday. The day has unusual significance for the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, an organization peculiar to the Protestant Episcopal church. As the day fell on Sunday the main celebration was postponed until tomorrow night, although some services were held yesterday. At 8 o'clock on Tuesday night Dean Hodges of the Cambridge Theological school will deliver the anniversary sermon, his subject being, "The Progress of Andrew."

DR. FENNER'S KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs. Also Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations Free.

"Eight months in bed, heavy backache, pain and soreness across kidneys, also rheumatism. Other remedies failed. Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure cured me completely. H. WATERS, Hamlet, N. Y."

Druggists, 50c., $1. Ask for Cook Book—Free.

ST. VITUS' DANCE Sure Cure. Circular, Dr Fenner, Fredonia, N. Y.

RADICAL PLANS FOR TUBE MILLS

Doubling McKeesport Will Add Only a Fourth to List of Men.

REVOLUTIONARY SYSTEM

Nine Blast Furnaces to Cost $5,500,000 Part of Improvement Plans of Corporation. Inspection Party Will Be Here.

Plans for increasing production facilities of the United States Steel Corporation include nine new monster furnaces, adding to the annual pig iron production of the company 1,575,000 tons, and costing about $5,500,000. In doubling the capacity of the great tube works at McKeesport, the company will so revolutionize practices of such mills, that the list of employes will only be added to by about 25 per cent. In those mills there are now employed about 8,000 men and 10,000 will cover the list when the gigantic improvements are made, at an expenditure of $10,000,000.

When the McKeesport improvements are completed, there will be little left of what now constitute the National works, except the two Monongahela furnaces and the Monongahela steel works. The rolling mills will all be dismantled and their machinery displaced by new, the mechanism and arrangement of which will be so great a departure, that with the same productive capacity as now the list of employes would be reduced by over a third. The exact nature of these changes is being kept secret.

New Furnace at McKeesport.

One new monster blast furnace will be added to the Monongahela group. The first move will be the erection of new rolling mills to displace those in use, and then the new furnace will be erected and the additional mills will follow. With these improvements well along, the company will probably go ahead with its intended new works at Lorain, O. At Lorain two blast furnaces will be built, and the works will be made nearly as large as those at McKeesport.

Improvements are about to be started to enlarge the W. Dewees Wood works of the American Sheet Steel Company at McKeesport and nearly double their capacity. McKeesport councils have passed ordinances which vacate streets and alleys along two blocks bounded by Second avenue, Walnut street, the Monongahela river and Market street. The company has purchased for the extension nearly all the ground in these two blocks, which it had not already owned. The W. Dewees Wood works employ about 1,500 men and this force will be nearly doubled when the improvements are made. It is the purpose to increase the output of the fine planished sheets made at these works.

Will Increase Production.

The nine new blast furnaces that the steel corporation proposes to erect will, with three in the Pittsburgh district that are now being completed, make the pig iron production of the corporation about equal to its steel converting requirements. Now the corporation has to buy over 2,000,000 tons a year from merchant furnacemen. Yet by the time that the new furnaces are built the corporation's steel capacity will have been so increased that its combined constituents will continue the heaviest patron of the merchant furnacemen.

The new furnaces planned include three for the Pittsburgh district, four for the Youngstown district, and two for Chicago. Two furnaces are now being added to the old Bessemer group of nine at Braddock. The new ones will be known as J and K, and J will be blown in on or about December 5, and the other in about two months. One monster stack is being added to the Carrie group at Rankin. This will be known as Carrie No. 5.

Expenditure Will Be Immense.

In the present fiscal year the steel corporation had arranged to expend $30,000,000 in improvements. Much of this was delayed through failure to start on the new tube works. For next year all this delayed work will be undertaken and probably as much more. During its first fiscal year, ending with March of this year, the corporation expended over $24,500,000 on improvements and maintenance of its properties.

On last Friday it was decided to delay the inspection trip of executives and directors of the corporation until next week. The inspection party will leave New York next Monday and will be in Pittsburgh on Wednesday morning, December 10. The delay has been occasioned so that prominent members of the executive and finance committees could arrange to accompany the officials. Among those intending to make up the personnel of the party are the following:

Former Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman, and Daniel G. Reid, William Edenborn, Edmund C. Converse and Charles Steele of the executive committee; George W. Perkins of the Morgan interests, chairman; Henry H. Rodgers, Norman B. Beam and Peter A. B. Widener of the finance committee; First Vice President James Gayley, Second Vice President William B. Dickson, Third Vice President Veryl Preston, President George G. McMurtry of the American Steel Sheet Company and President A. J. Major of the American Bridge Company.

MONEY FOR SOME ONE.

Miser Leaves $100,000 Estate in Vienna and His Heirs Are in United States.

VIENNA, Nov. 30.—The heirs, some of whom are living in the United States, are wanted to an estate valued at about $100,000 left by Heinrich Oesterreicher, a miser who recently died here.

The Vienna authorities found among his papers a schedule of securities worth about $100,000, but only certificates to the value of $73,000. Upon being questioned, Oesterreicher's landlady produced a batch of securities worth $17,000, and said that the deceased had presented them to her the day before he died.

The woman has handed over the papers to the authorities, but without renouncing her claim on them.

Oesterreicher left a brother and two married sisters living somewhere in the United States.

COSTS NOTHING UNLESS CURED.

A Fair Offer to All Catarrh Sufferers.

The leading druggists of this city are selling Hyomei on a plan that has caused considerable talk amongst their customers.

The plan is different from that followed by other remedies, but the remedy itself is different also. This treatment for the cure of catarrh has such an unusual record of cures to its credit that all druggists are authorized to refund the money if it does not give the desired benefit. This is certainly one of the fairest offers that can be made, and any one who has catarrh and does not take advantage of it is doing himself or herself an injustice.

The Hyomei treatment consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the vest pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. The complete treatment costs but $1.00 and as the inhaler will last a lifetime and there is sufficient Hyomei for more than a month's use, the medicine is very inexpensive. Many people who have used it write that for the good Hyomei has done them they would willingly pay thousands of dollars. Extra bottles of Hyomei can be procured for use with the inhaler at 50 cents.

Do not suffer any longer with tickling, smarting, irritating, burning, eye watering troubles that afflict those who have catarrh. Hyomei will cure you, but if you should not find it adapted to your case, your druggist will return your money.

RECEIVER'S SALE!

WM. H. DUFFELL,

Formerly treasurer of the Pittsburgh & Western Railway Co.

RECEIVER FOR

F. B. VOLZ,

Importer of Art Goods
516 Wood Street

WILL SELL AT

Public Auction

$50,000.00 Worth of Bric-a-Brac, Bronzes, Marble Statuary, Cut and Engraved Glass, Artistic Furniture, Wood Boxes, Hall Clocks, Fish, Game, Dinner, Wine Sets, 350 Oil Paintings, by artists of renown.

The entire collection of BEAUTIFUL HOLIDAY SELECTIONS from the Art Centers of Europe

AT PUBLIC AUCTION

To close the business for the benefit of the creditors.

THIS SALE IS ABSOLUTE.

Today Monday, Dec'r 1st

Mornings 11 to 1 O'clock.

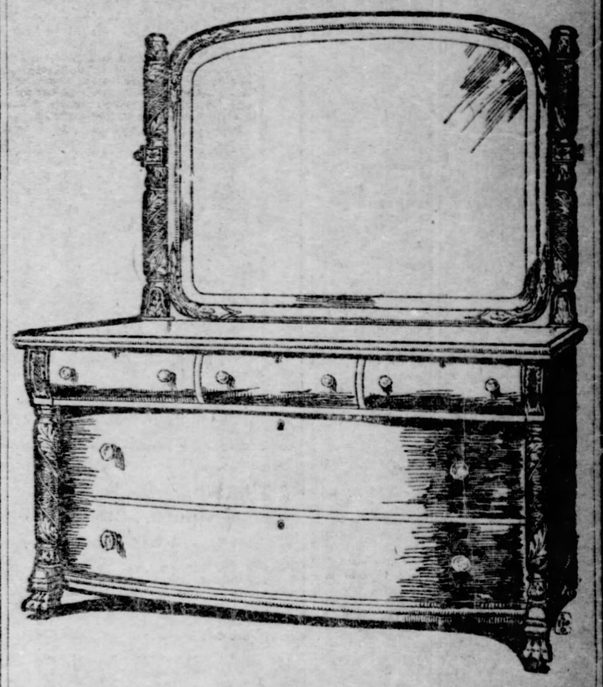
Afternoons From 2:30 to 5:30.

And Each Following Day,

Until all of this beautiful stock is sold. Never was there such an opportunity to purchase Christmas presents. Come early and secure seats. Everything must be sold. The wise buyer cannot afford to pass this sale by.

H. LUENGENE, AUCTIONEER.

KEECH'S Aristocratic Furniture



Choose where you will to look through the forests of furniture offered in this big city. Take ample time to carefully examine the finest stocks you know of. You'll not find a better display of the good, medium and superbly made sorts than in this store. There's something here to suit any scheme of furnishing. Every popular style of the season is represented and at prices that aid wonderfully the economies of the young housekeeper and the old.

This $85 Mahogany Dresser

Is just a hint of the fine things. Made from the finest San Domingo mahogany. Base is five feet wide and stands on substantial claw feet. The French bevel, pattern mirror is four feet wide and swings between two elaborately carved posts. Drawers have swell fronts. Glass drawer-pulls and are lined inside with genuine mahogany. We'd like to show this dresser—our entire line of dressers—to both Cash or Credit buyers. We are sure you'll not find equal goodness for equal outlay, and we're also sure you'll not find the equal of this dresser elsewhere for less than $125.

W. H. KEECH CO. 923 to 931 Penn Ave.

Pittsburgh Carpet Co.

FORCED TO VACATE.

The Entire Stock of

CARPETS, RUGS, MATTINGS Curtains and Linoleums

Must be sold at once, regardless of cost value or regular prices—it is imperative that these goods be sold—every yard desirable in quality and style, and a rare bargain—

THIS WEEK Hundreds of yards of fine Carpetings, in lengths of from 5 to 20 yards, at less than one-half regular prices—also a large lot of

WILTON and AXMINSTER SAMPLES

in desirable lengths for Rugs, etc.,

75c each

PITTSBURGH CARPET CO.,

227--FIFTH AVE--227

4 Per Cent on Savings.

Where's the deed? You'd know where all your valuable papers were if you kept them in a safe deposit box.

Only $5 a year.

The City Deposit Bank, Penn and Center, East End.

"A FAIR FACE MAY PROVE A FOUL BARGAIN." MARRY A PLAIN GIRL IF SHE USES

SAPOLIO

COUNCILS WILL IMPOSE THE TAX

J. C. Wasson Says Members on Both Sides Are in Favor of Such Action.

ON GROSS RECEIPTS

Five Per Cent Is Urged by Citizens Men—Fight on "L" Roads in East End—Railroad Ordinances Will Pass Common.

"I believe that the Citizens councilmen to a man will vote for a 5 per cent tax on the gross receipts of companies owning street railways, telephone lines, electric light, gas and water services. Furthermore, I believe that the opposition in councils is disposed to fall into line with this idea, and I have no doubt that councils will take speedy action in this direction." Thus Councilman Joseph C. Wasson, who took such a prominent part in the discussion of the railroad ordinances last week forecasted the action of the municipal lawmakers on the proposed act.

"Some of the organization members will make an effort, probably, to cut down the tax to 2 per cent, but I think they will all vote for a tax of some kind.

"I am unalterably opposed to the construction of elevated lines on our East End streets, and I will fight them to the bitter end. If the Pittsburgh Railways Company wish to extend their lines in the East End they should build subways. I am not even in favor of elevated tracks in Liberty street.

"When the city of Pittsburgh was originally laid out Liberty street was made wider than any other.

"It will be the best business street we have when the Pennsylvania tracks are removed."

Councilman Wasson will present tonight in common council a resolution that the Pennsylvania and Wabash railroad companies shall favor Pittsburgh workmen in awarding the contracts for the construction of the new lines for which they are asking franchises.

Common council will meet tonight in special session to consider the Pennsylvania and Wabash ordinances on third reading. Councilman Wasson, who presented a couple of amendments at the last meeting that were defeated by a close vote, said yesterday that no further effort would be made to amend the ordinances, although it is possible to do so by council reconsidering its action of last Monday night.

He said the ordinances would pass finally in their present shape and go to select council. If select council amends the ordinances, as seems certain, they can be further debated in common council when they come back for concurrence.

The Shaffer Flats, Oakland's Latest Building

Contractor W. B. Bennett has just completed for H. A. Shafer one of the neatest apartment buildings put up in the city this year. It is at Nos. 2403-2407 Forbes avenue, and cost about $40,000. The building is a four-story pressed brick structure, with stone trimmings, and was designed by Architect W. A. Thomas. On the first floor are six large storerooms, and the upper stories contain 18 apartments of three rooms and bath each. The flats are provided with both gases and instantaneous water heaters. This is the first flat building in that neighborhood.

JUDGE SHAFER MAY GO TO SUPERIOR COURT

Is Prominently Mentioned for Place Made Vacant by Justice Mitchell's Retirement.

Judge John D. Shafer, who attracted considerable attention Saturday by granting a peremptory mandamus in favor of the Mercantile Trust Company upon Controller John B. Larkin, is prominently mentioned as among the candidates for the vacant seat on the state superior court bench, caused by the retirement of Judge Mitchell.

Judge Mitchell was retired under the disability law enacted by the last legislature. Gov. Stone refuses to discuss the question of a successor to Judge Mitchell, but it is reported that he has made up his mind to promote Judge Shafer. His term in the common pleas court of Allegheny county expires in 1908.

Judge Joseph Cohen of the orphans court, defeated at the recent election, also aspires to the vacancy on the superior court bench. Judge Cohen holds his place on the county bench by virtue of the appointment of Gov. Stone. As he had a chance for election it is the opinion of the politicians that he can not reasonably expect another appointment at the present time.

Thomas D. Carnahan, city solicitor, has also been suggested for the vacant judgeship, but his name is not taken seriously by those who claim to be well posted on the situation.

That an Allegheny county man will receive the appointment seems certain, and it is freely predicted that the plum will fall to Judge Shafer.

BURGLARS KILLED WATCHMAN.

Indiana Man Defends Bank at Cost of His Life.

VALPARAISO, IND., Nov. 30.—In the little town of Westville, Wesley Reynolds, watchman of the Westville State bank, was shot and killed by burglars last night while defending the bank safe from their attack.

After killing Reynolds the desperadoes, who were attacked by citizens who had been alarmed by the battle, fought their way to liberty and are still at large, though a posse is after them, and final escape seems impossible. The watchman saved the bank at the cost of his own life for the burglars did not have time to blow open the big safe after killing him. It is thought he wounded one of the gang.

Found Worm on Man's Heart.

MONESSEN, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—While the physicians were holding an autopsy yesterday on the body of Cesarino Ronacci, the Italian murdered in the drunken riot at Webster on Thanksgiving, an ordinary round worm, six inches in length, was found entwined around the apex of the heart. How the worm found its way up through the diaphragm to the region of the heart is the question that is puzzling the physicians.

BOW TO LADY FRIEND COST HIM JUST $6

Politeness cost Robert Gaylor, a Braddock negro, $6 yesterday. Gaylor was standing in front of Henry Aul's tailor shop on Braddock avenue, when one of his female acquaintances passed, and in tipping his hat to her he bowed so low that he bumped a plate glass window in the tailor shop and shattered it. It cost him $6 to replace the glass.

ACHESON PREPARED TO MAKE HARD FIGHT

Improvements He Will Ask For Ohio River Will Cost Fully $60,000,000.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.

Congressman Acheson, who is on the rivers and harbors committee, gave an interview today in which he renewed his purpose to persevere in securing an ample appropriation for deepening the channel of the Ohio river to make it navigable from Pittsburgh to Cairo. It will involve the outlay of an immense sum of money, and may meet opposition, but it is sure to come, he thinks; and the value of it to the Ohio river valley, when the interoceanic canal is completed, will be stupendous.

The rivers and harbors committee, in taking up its work at the beginning of a session, finds there is a favorable recommendation from the board of engineers of the war department on projects which would call for $400,000,000; and that, at the same time, the house will not tolerate an appropriation above $60,000,000. The pruning process must now begin.

It has been estimated that the sum of $60,000,000 will be needed to make the Ohio navigable as intended. This is as much as the total appropriation by the committee. But it could be made a special measure, Mr. Acheson thinks, and with the force of all the senators and congressmen who represent the vast district to be so richly benefited, there could be enough money provided at one time to go on with the work. He stands ready to do all in his power.

It is altogether unlikely that any money toward this project will be appropriated at the session which opens tomorrow, he thinks, as it is hard to get even one appropriation for the term.

L. W. STRAYER.

Telegraphers' Wages Increased.

FOND DU LAC, WIS., Nov. 30.—All the telegraph operators on the Wisconsin Central railroad have been granted an increase in salary, amounting to $5 a month. The advance in the wage scale has already gone into effect.

ANDREWS CONFIDENT ON STATEHOOD BILL

Holds Conference With Delegate Rodey of New Mexico on Situation.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.

Ex-Senator W. H. Andrews of Pittsburgh, who has gold mine and railroad interests in New Mexico, is here in the interests of the bill which, if it passes the senate, will make New Mexico a full-fledged state. Mr. Andrews is much in favor of the bill and he had a talk today with Senator Quay relative to the chances of its passage. A number of people from Pittsburgh and other parts of Pennsylvania have investments in New Mexico and are interested in having that territory taken into full membership.

Mr. Andrews had a conference with Delegate Rodey of New Mexico at the New Willard this evening, and they canvassed the situation. Mr. Rodey said that the friends of the omnibus statehood bill are certain that they have enough votes in the senate to pass the bill.

L. W. STRAYER.

Y. M. C. A. Farewell Meeting.

GREENSBURG, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The annual convention of the Third district of the Pennsylvania Young Men's Christian association was brought to a close here tonight by a monster farewell meeting, all of the local congregations uniting in the service. An address was made by W. K. Jennings of Pittsburgh.

MONEY BACK. Any dissatisfied purchaser of Allen's Atropium Plaster may have his money back by addressing the manufacturer,

Geo. M. Berrance, 221 Fulton St., New York

For stiff neck, crick in the neck, any sore muscle.

RAISED A ROW AND GOT INTO TROUBLE

Loss of Her Brooch Caused Cora Oswald Further Distress—Police Court Hearings.

Cora Oswald, who keeps a disorderly house in the lower portion of First avenue, missed a diamond brooch about 2 o'clock yesterday morning, and the noise she made over this mishap resulted in her place being raided. At the Central police station hearing a few hours later she was fined $25 and costs for keeping a disorderly house, and four other women and three men who were in the place when the raid was made, were mulcted for about $15 each. The brooch is supposed to be still missing.

John Geyer was fined $25 and costs, which he paid rather than go to the workhouse for 60 days. Detective Mulholland arrested him in company with Maggie Maloney, a 14-year-old girl, in a court off Grant street. She was held over until her parents can be seen about keeping her off the streets.

William Rudolph was fined $5 and costs for insulting women at Fifth avenue and Wood street, and William Sweeney $5 and costs for abusing women at No. 423 second avenue. James Glenn asked Magistrate McKenna to send him up for 90 days, and was accommodated. In all 65 prisoners were arraigned, and of these 22 were discharged.

Magistrate J. H. Armstrong disposed of nine cases at the East End station. William Ewing was fined $10 and costs for raising a disturbance on a street car. Twelve unimportant cases were disposed of by Magistrate J. V. McMasters at No. 3 station.

Magistrate S. F. Kerr, sitting at No. 5 station, fined Fred and Lloyd Plohr, brothers, each $5 and costs. Saturday night Officer Granville Teters saw a number of men shooting crap at Liberty avenue and Thirty-sixth street, and running into them, caught Fred. On the way to the patrol box, Lloyd interfered and tried to rescue his brother. In the fight that followed Teters had to draw his revolver in order to retain his prisoner.

CAPTURED BURGLAR.

Cleveland Lad Becomes Most Popular Man at Yale by Doing What the Police Failed to Do.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—William Roy Stuart of Cleveland, O., a junior in the academic department of Yale, captured a burglar late last night in the entry of Durfee hall. Stuart overpowered the burglar, Charles Geyer, colored, aged 17, and held him prisoner until Policeman Taylor responded to his cries for help.

Stuart was a popular man today. There have been several mysterious burglaries here of late, and Stuart has done what more than 100 policemen for a fortnight have hoped to do—capture a burglar dead or alive.

The detectives are confident Geyer can be made to tell of other burglaries in the Yale dormitories, and possibly about others of the 15 committed lately about town.

Miss Bingham's Fine Company.

From all accounts, a treat is in store for playgoers when Amelia Bingham and her company open a week's engagement at the Alvin theater tonight in "A Modern Magdalen," a play which created a sensation when produced in New York last spring. Miss Bingham presents an unusual company in this drama. Noted among the names are Henry E. Dixey, Wilton Lackaye, Hobart Bosworth Furdrand Gottschalk, Madge Carr Cook, Alfred Fisher, Lucille Spinney, Adele Farrington, Maud Moffat, Rose Braham and others.

Carmelites Close Mission Work.

The mission, which has been conducted so successfully during the past two weeks at the Holy Name Catholic church, Duquesne, of which the Rev. David Shanahan is pastor, closed last evening. The mission was the first ever conducted in a Catholic church in Duquesne and was in charge of the Rev. Fathers Paul Ryan and James McDonald of the Carmelite order from Niagara Falls, N. Y. Services were held each morning during the mission at 5 and 8 o'clock, and at 7:30 in the evening.

Dr. Henry F. Garey's Opthalmo Oscillator "The Only Method" for cure of blindness. Office, 1502 Arrott building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

TOY LAND is down stairs this month—down where the Housefurnishings were. Lots of room, excellent light, plenty of fresh air—everything to make it easy to find something to divert, entertain and delight the little ones and make them feel more certain than ever that Santa Claus knows a thing or two about what boys and girls like the best. The pictures give only a vague hint of the splendid resources of this part of "The People's Store."

CAMPBELL'S

In Shimmering Silver

"Sterling?" Seventy gift suggestions, with only room for seven. (1) Table silver of every kind. (2) Pocket-pieces, such as key rings, match safes, etc. (3) Manicure and Toilet utensils. (4) Work Basket supplies, such as thimbles, scissors, etc. (5) Pen and Pocket Knives. (6) Desk Furnishings. (7) Smokers' specialties.

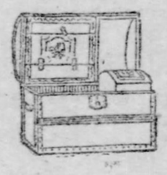
"Quadruple Plate?" Hundreds of pretty things for 50c to $5. Duplicates of the sterling silver articles and many larger pieces, such as Candelabra, Gravy Boats, Card Trays, Cracker Jars, Bon Bon Dishes, Shaving Mugs, etc., etc.

In Fine Leathers

More and more articles appear in fine leather every Christmas season. And the standard leather lines show up in new forms. Only a suggestive list—scarcely an index—can be given here.

Pocketbooks—Purses—Card Cases—Chatelaine Bags—Wrist Bags—Music Rolls—Writing Tablets—Desk Pads—Travelers' Cases—Cigar Cases—Shaving Pads—Memorandum Books—Slipper Bags—Collar and Cuff Cases—Albums (with celluloid and metal mountings) and a lot more.

We have them all in myriad forms suitable for gift purposes.



Holiday Books

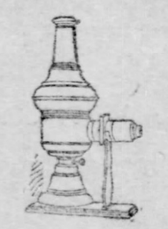
Tables that start at the "Midway" elevator and stretch way back to the rear of the store—three tiers high—holding enough books to stock a dozen medium-size "Carnegie libraries." Complete series of the standard authors at 10c—at 19c—at 25c—at 39c—at 49c a volume. All the poets. Cream of the religious books. Copyright $1.50 books for $1.08 and 89c. Boys' Books of Adventure. Girls' Books. Children's Picture Books at 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c.

Complete catalogue ready for distribution Wednesday. Send for one. Call for one.

Charming China

All the fragile things in china and glass have been grouped together on our second floor, close by the front elevator, where the crowd will be less dense than on the ground floor, and those who love Vases, Statuettes, Jardinieres, Table China, Toilet Table China and Cut Glass will have ample opportunity to inspect, compare, admire, handle and select such treasures in ceramics as appeal to their fancy and meet the requirements of some contemplated gift purpose.

Our own importation of Steins.



When Rain Threatens

A fine Umbrella is a possession that makes one feel grateful to the giver every time the storm clouds gather. All our Umbrellas at $2.50 or more are silver mounted, and we engrave the initials of the owner free of charge.

Ladies' Gift Umbrellas in the best rain-shedding silks, come in pearl, ivory, gun metal, sterling silver, gold mounted and the new burnt copper handles. Prices $2 to $10.

Men's Gift Umbrellas come in polished horn, ivory, gun metal, fine natural wood and burnt copper handles. Prices $2 to $7.50.

Exquisite Gloves

When in doubt buy Gloves. No woman ever has too many. Duplicates do not cause embarassment. One pair of fine kids in a handsome box (such as we furnish free) will be received with delight. Half a dozen pairs form a princely present.

Our Christmas line contains the newest and best products of the glovier's art, including two lines imported by ourselves direct, and guaranteed as something of surpassing excellence.

Golf Gloves, in black and white worsted. Men's Kid and Dog Skin Gloves. Children's Gloves. Mittens, etc., are likewise carried at our glove counter.

In Doll-Land

If all us grown-up folks could really and truly understand just how much a doll means to a little girl, there wouldn't be dolls enough in all Pennsylvania to meet the demand in Pittsburgh this month. It's always a delight to us to sell a doll, because we know that it's going to carry happiness to some little heart. That's why we have so many of them in the store—and such pretty ones.

Dressed and Undressed Dolls—10c to $7.50.

Doll Parasols (25c), Doll Shoes (5c to 25c), Doll Stockings (5c and 8c), Doll Hats (10c to 50c), Doll Nursing Bottles (5c and 10c), Doll Fur Sets (50c to $1.00).

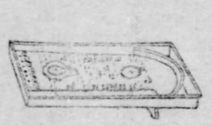
Glitter of Gold

What's new at the Jewelry Counter? Almost everything. So many Christmas lines just opened that the regular all-the-year-'round stock disappears amid the accessions. Gold Rings, Stick Pins, Lace Pins, Hat Pins, Brooches, Watch Guards, Necklaces, Chains, Cuff Links, Waist Sets, Collar Buttons—almost everything you can suggest. Also a line of Ladies' Chatelaine Watches, in gun metal and enamel, with guaranteed Swiss movements.

Friendship Lockets, round, oval and heart shape, 98c to $2.00.

Novelty Bracelets—with "secret locket," signet and settings.

No inflated prices because the demand is greatest just now.



Beauty In Boxes

Boxmaking has developed into a fine art. Witness the lovely creations in tooled, embossed and burnt leather, celluloid and the woods that take a fine polish—also in aluminum—for gloves, handkerchiefs, neckties, collars and cuffs, etc. Prices 25c to $5.00.

Smokers' Tobacco and Cigar Boxes, with the self-moistening devices. Smokers' Stands in a variety of handsome designs, with all the appurtenances, for $1.29 to $1.98.

A handsome gift in a handsome box will prove doubly acceptable.

Touching the Toilet

A lady's toilet table is a repository of an aggregation of objects of art in this age.

Do you need some suggestions, Mr. Bachelor?

Two and Three-Piece Toilet Sets, Hand Glasses, Standard Mirrors, Triplicate Mirrors, Hair Receivers, Manicure Sets, Pin Trays, Puff Boxes, Jewelry Boxes, Vaseline Holders, Brushes for the Hair, the Teeth, the Clothes and the Hat, Salve Boxes—and this is just a beginning.

We have tried to anticipate every imaginable want and provide for it in our Holiday line.

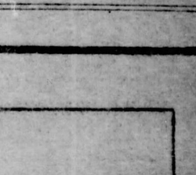
Waving Handkerchiefs

Blessed be the inventor of Handkerchiefs. They come in so nicely as practical expressions of good will, and serve so well as "last resort presents." Our Christmas line is a "great, wide, fair"—an inspiring "Chautauqua salute."

Men's plain or Initial Handkerchiefs at all prices up to 50c.

Ladies' Plain, Initialed and Hand Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs up to 25c. Swiss Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs up to $1.00. Lace Trimmed and All Lace Handkerchiefs up to $5.

Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, 15c to $1.00.



At Several Counters

Inexhaustible the gift suggestions in a store as great and as resourceful as ours. But a word will give a cue just as a keynote starts a musical selection. Here are some suggestions:

Canary Birds, Fountain Pens, Papeterie, Calendars, Slippers, Pyrographic Novelties, Clocks, Perfumes, Atomizers, Tobacco Jars, Desk Furnishings, Call Bells, Rattles, Boys' Watches, Beads, Fancy Baskets, Dress Patterns, Rugs, Sofa Pillows, Screens, Men's Neckwear, Furniture, Ladies' Neckwear, Furs—but there's no more room here, so the list must end abruptly.

Stinson, Kennedy & Co.
Successors to Halpin, Kennedy & Co.
SANITARY PLUMBING
FINE GAS AND ELECTRIC FIXTURES. INSTANTANEOUS WATER HEATERS.
No. 213 Wood St., Pittsburgh
L. D. 'Phone, Court 741.

PITTSBURG SOAP CO
GET THE BEST
ASK YOUR GROCER
DUQUESNE SOAP
A HOME PRODUCTION
SUPERIOR QUALITY
The Soap for the Home

TYPEWRITERS!
Manhattans A, B, and No. 9. Call and See Them—Price $50 and $75. Repairs on All Makes of Machines Solicited. F. S. Webster Co Carbons and Ribbons Always in Stock.
F. S. Webster Co., Prop.
432 DIAMOND ST.

It's Worth While
Looking into the propositions the Provident Life and Trust Company make in the way of Life Insurance. Our premium rate is lower than any other first-class participating company.
The Provident Life & Trust Company,
GRAHAM C. WELLS, Gen'l Agt.
210 Lewis Bldg. Sixth and Smithfield

HORNE-STEWART CO
DRY GOODS
LOTS of comfort in having things just right and not have to pay for the novelty.
Men's Winter Overcoats
Such makers as Roger, Peet & Company have sent us just right overcoats, and we are able to sell them for about half what the tailor has to charge.
10.00 to 65.00
233-235 FIFTH AVENUE.

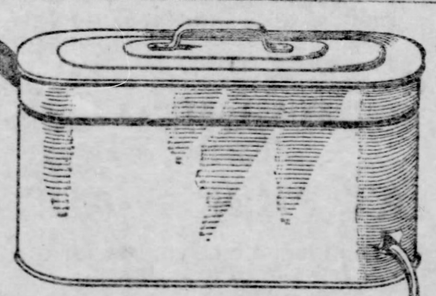
"ALL WRIGHT FOR MORE THAN HALF A CENTURY"
ROMAN EYE BALSAM
FOR WEAK, INFLAMED EYES AND EYELIDS
Price 25 Cents, All Druggists.
WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILL CO., New York.

Mellon National Bank
of Pittsburgh
Capital $2,000,000.00
Particular attention is given to the business of farmers, stock raisers and other out-of-town people.
You'll find this bank a good one to have your account with.
514 Smithfield St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.,
535 Wood St.
Manufacturers and Dealers
ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES!
NERNST LAMPS
The new electric light.
Saves ½ electric light bill.
Improves quality of light.
Electrical equipment of every description.
Highest grade, lowest price, quickest delivery.

MICA AXLE GREASE
lightens the load—shortens the road.
Keeps the team. Saves wear and expense. Sold everywhere.
MADE BY STANDARD OIL CO.

The Best Way to Stop a Leak



in your wash boiler is to throw the boiler away and use Walker's Soap. You'll have no further use for it, nor your washboard either. It dissolves the dirt and *cleans your clothes* without boiler, board or backache. It is easy on the woman, easy on the clothes. The only way to wash clothes with least work.

WALKER'S SOAP

Contains no alkali or unwholesome fats. The wrapper tells all about the new way of washing without working. See that the game rooster is on the wrapper—it marks the genuine, all others are imitators. Get the best and leave the rest.

RAILROAD FROGS TO ELECTRICITY

Scientific Magazine Traces the Career of Mr. George Westinghouse.

DEVOTION TO HIS WORK

His Immense Plants in the United States and Foreign Countries Examples of His Untiring Zeal.

In the December issue of Cassier's Magazine, one of the foremost scientific publications, the frontispiece is a portrait of Mr. George Westinghouse. A biographical sketch of the eminent Pittsburgher is one of the interesting features of the magazine. It is as follows:

In a popular magazine article some months ago occurred this paragraph: "The rich man who stands alone, who has not established something, who is not identified with some great institution, commercial or public, is not envied. He is more likely to be pitied."

Mr. Westinghouse is a remarkable example of a rich man who is not only identified with great institutions, but who has become wealthy in doing so. The process has not been an easy one, and his is a striking illustration of the "strenuous life."

In these days, when there are so many instances of millionaires who have started as poor boys, there is a tendency to think this true of everyone who is not known to be the son of a rich man; but Mr. Westinghouse's career lacks that touch of romance. His father was a successful manufacturer of agricultural machinery, and the old factory is still in operation at Schenectady, New York. His family moved to that town in 1856 from Central Bridge, Schoharie county, New York, where he was born in October, 1846, so that he is now about 56, still a young man as we count age in these days, and certainly a splendid specimen of physical and mental vigor, for he works harder than any of his numerous assistants, and finds his relaxation rather in a change of work than in complete cessation. He is a man of large frame, which probably explains how, although only a boy, he was allowed to take part in the American civil war, seeing service in the cavalry and infantry of the army, and, towards the end of the war, as an engineer officer in the navy, where his mechanical aptitude found a congenial occupation; for it must not be forgotten that the basis of his success is in his great mechanical genius, both in manipulative skill and in that bent of mind which, seemingly by intuition, sees at once the practicable and the reasonable in mechanical contrivances, and does not have to grope after a proper solution of mechanical problems.

Evolution of His Career.

Mr. Westinghouse's career is an illustration of evolution throughout. His first invention was a railroad frog, which was quite successful, and it was while exploiting this and naturally studying railroad problems that his attention was drawn to car brakes. They were crude enough before his great invention of the air brake, which has made his name known throughout the world wherever the railroad has gone. His first thought was a steam brake, but his knowledge as an engineer showed that condensation would make this a failure.

About this time the Mont Cenis tunnel was building, and the technical papers told of the successful transmission of power by compressed air. Everybody had the same chance to see what this meant; but his was the mind that grasped the hint, and the result was the air brake. Of course, it was crude as compared with the perfected brake of today, but it revolutionized railroading by enormously increasing the safety of operation and by making higher speed possible. His later invention of the triple valve and of setting the brakes by releasing the pressure in the train-pipe was almost as important as that of the air brake itself, securing, as it does, simultaneous action of all the brakes in a train with the added benefit that if the train separates, the brakes are set at once.

The history of the introduction and progress of the air brake is fascinating enough to warrant a long article by itself, but Mr. Westinghouse has done so much, and in so many fields, that we cannot dwell on this side of his work. If he had never done anything else, the invention of the air brake would entitle him to a high rank among the benefactors of humanity, for it has made modern high speed railroading possible and safe.

There are three marked characteristics in Mr. Westinghouse's talents, as an inventor or mechanic, as an executive and organizer, and as a financier. The first is shown in the invention and improvement of the air brake. The second had its first illustration in the works which he organized for its manufacture. These have, of course, grown with the years, like everything else he operates, and they now present one of the most efficient types of highly specialized industries in the world. They have proved a veritable gold mine for the stockholders, and yet such is the economy of manufacture that the workmen get high wages, and the product is cheaper than any competitor, unless organized on such a perfect scale could turn out. This was demonstrated to be a fact by a large railroad which, for a time, made its own brakes on a very low royalty. They found it cheaper to buy them from the Westinghouse works at Wilmerding.

Compressed Air to Electricity.

His mastery of pneumatic devices led him to adapt compressed air to railway switches and signals, out of which came the Union Switch and Signal Company, which has installed the switching and signaling plant in such complicated stations as the great South Terminal in Boston and the Union station at Pittsburgh. Electricity came to take a place in this work for the automatic signals, and it was through the acquaintance thus gained that he was led into the field of electric development, where the history of his work is even more romantic than that of the development of the brake.

Those who have known him best and longest have constantly remarked upon his wonderful foresight and prevision, of which a few instances appear as we proceed. Nearly 20 years ago he seemed to grasp the possibilities of electrical development, when the art was truly in its infancy. It was evident that the field for direct current was limited, and that for transmission over long distances alternating current must be used; but something was necessary to change the small current of high potential to the stronger current of practicable voltage. The Gulliard and Gibbs patents were brought to his notice, and he purchased them for the United States. Just here we may note another trait in his character, the readiness, although an inventor himself, to purchase and use the inventions of others, with the control of these patents he organized the Westinghouse Electric Company, which has grown until it is now one of the greatest manufacturing companies in the world. The history of the introduction of alternating-current machinery is truly that of the "strenuous life" for Mr. Westinghouse. It met with desperate opposition from the makers of direct-current apparatus, who tried to get laws passed in some states forbidding its use, and they went so far as to secure the use of a Westinghouse dynamo for the first electrocution plant, hoping thereby to make it appear that the alternating current was essentially more deadly than direct current. What a commentary on this action is the fact that all the great power plants today are using the alternating current.

How Tesla Was Aided.

The new form of current (in the sense that its practical application was later) had demonstrated its usefulness for lighting. It remained to develop a practical and simple motor so that it could be used for power, for the synchronous motor needed more skill for its attendance than could be given in the ordinary machine shop. Then came Tesla, who found in Mr. Westinghouse a friend and backer, whose faith did not weaken while the induction motor, Tesla's great invention, was perfected. This solved the problem of the transmission of power, for it gave a machine as simple as a grindstone and yet of the highest efficiency and almost "foot-proof." At the present time the great majority of industrial plants using electricity for power are equipped with these motors.

What has been said would give some idea of Mr. Westinghouse's steadfastness under great discouragement, and the story of the lighting of the Chicago world's fair is another illustration. He believed this a great opportunity to show what could be done by alternating current, and made a tender lower by $1,000,000 than any other bidder. Then his troubles began. Competitors made such charges as to his inability to carry out the contract that he was forced to give a bond for the full amount of the contract. Then he was enjoined from making the familiar glow lamp. He actually had to invent a new form of lamp, and to this he added a new air pump. Old employes tell, with much admiration, how at this time, he worked day after day, in his shirt sleeves, perfecting the various details. But the lighting of the fair was a great success, and, curiously enough, the only return to the stockholders of the fair was the $1,000,000 dollars he had saved them.

Growth of the Plant.

The present works of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company at East Pittsburgh were built in 1895, and consisted then chiefly of two main buildings 750 feet long, one 230 feet wide, and the other 100. There was an almost universal opinion that the buildings were too large ever to be filled with work. So far from sharing this view, Mr. Westinghouse located them so that they could be extended at both ends, and with enough room at the side to duplicate them. In 1899 they were extended at one end; in 1900 at the other; in 1901 the space between was turned into another bay 1,200 feet long. Now, in 1902, the duplication of this already huge plant is in progress.

It might seem that the work thus far mentioned would be more than enough to keep one man busy; but meanwhile this tireless man developed and exploited the use of natural gas in the Pittsburgh district, selling out his interest after the undertaking had been fully developed and made a success. To show what could be done in electric lighting with alternating current, he organized the United Electric Light and Power Company in New York, the Allegheny County Light Company in Pittsburgh, and another in Baltimore. After these had all been made successful he withdrew from them to be able to give more attention to his other great undertakings. While out of the chronological sequence, or it may be mentioned here that, under his guidance and at his expense, the Nernst lamp has been made a commercially successful article. He is also the backer of Mr. Peter Cooper Hewitt in the development of the mercury vapor lamp.

Works in Foreign Lands.

Besides the plants already mentioned, there are the great shops of the Westinghouse Machine Company at East Pittsburgh, for building steam and gas engines and steam turbines, of which Mr. Westinghouse is principal owner; and there have been for years works for making air brakes in England, France and Germany, while electric works were established at Havre in 1900. The most important of these works outside of the United States is the great plant of the British Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, at Manchester, which is almost a duplicate of the works at East Pittsburgh. These works have attracted marked attention from their size and from the rapidity with which they have been erected.

Long as this list is, we have not mentioned all the works, for there are foundries at Cleveland and Allegheny, with new ones of great size in course of erection at Trafford City, a few miles from East Pittsburgh, and works in Newark, New York and Pittsburgh. There is also a Russian Westinghouse Company for handling the products of the various factories. It is estimated that the various works and companies which bear his name represents a capitalization of about $75,000,000, and give employment to more than 20,000 people.

This sketch has attempted to show that the success of Mr. Westinghouse has been due to his own talents, industry, prevision and courage. It has not been a case of good luck; indeed, at a number of stages in his career luck seemed to be decidedly against him. There was once a time when his friends had all concluded that he must go under and sacrifice his fortune, which even then was counted with seven figures, but even this did not daunt him, and his ability as a financier enabled him to reorganize so as to go on to the great success of today. He has never countenanced stock watering schemes of that kind, and today the capital of all his properties represents actual value.

Doesn't Court Publicity.

He is a man of very attractive personality and charm of manner, and ensonality and charm of manner, and ensonality and charm of manner, and enson

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

Established July 29, 1786.
PUBLISHED EVERY MORNING
AT 347 AND 349 FIFTH AVENUE,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Entered as Second Class Matter at the Postoffice at Pittsburgh, Pa.

TELEPHONE CALLS:
Bell—Grant 1630-1631-1632-1633.
P. & A.—Main 1014-1015-1016.

BRANCH OFFICES.
EASTERN OFFICE—407-8-9-10 Temple Court, New York.
NEW YORK NEWS BUREAU—Herald Building, Herald Square.
WESTERN OFFICE—Rooms 1210 and 1211 Boyce Building, Chicago, Ill.
WASHINGTON (D. C.) NEWS BUREAU—Room 10, Postal Telegraph Building.
PHILADELPHIA NEWS BUREAU—Ledger Building, Sixth and Chestnut Streets.
LONDON (ENGLAND) OFFICE—Effingham House, No. 1 Arundel Street, Strand, W. C.
ATLANTIC CITY (N. J.) OFFICE—1309-11-13 Atlantic Avenue.

The Pittsburgh Gazette receives the full report of the Associated Press every day of the week, as well as the special telegraph and cable service of the New York Herald.

TERMS.

Daily Edition by carrier in Pittsburgh, Allegheny and surrounding towns for 6 cents a week.
Sunday Edition 5 cents per copy.
Rates by mail within the United States and Canada outside of the City of Pittsburgh:
Daily Edition at the rate of $8.00 per year.
Sunday Edition $2.50 per year.
Daily and Sunday Edition, per month, 50 cents.
Daily and Sunday Edition, per year, $5.00.

Anyone unable to purchase a copy of the Pittsburgh Gazette on trains or at news stands will confer a favor by reporting the same to this office.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1902.

TWELVE PAGES.

Since the report of the rapid transit commission was published there has been much discussion of the subject by many people. There is some difference of opinion concerning the amount of compensation that should be exacted in return for the valuable franchises to be granted. There have also been various suggestions as to the manner of payment. A vast majority of all who have spoken, however, seem to favor a tax on receipts. This is a fair method, as the amount of compensation is in proportion to the business done by the railway lines. But there are other methods for collecting what is due the public that are worthy of consideration.

It is presumed the Pittsburgh Railways Company has some ideas on this subject on its own account. As yet it has said nothing. When its ordinances are prepared and presented to councils it may be expected they will contain the company's official views upon the amount and character of compensation that should be made. The discussion may then take a different turn. But it is notable no one has yet suggested the possibility of a free grant such as the existing surface lines of the railways company have been operated under from the beginning. That sort of thing is out of date. Pittsburgh has been slower than other large cities about abandoning the free franchise to the political promoters, but the new order of things is firmly established now and must be maintained.

Some time and worry may be saved by the traction interest if it includes a reasonable proposition in its ordinances at the start. There is not much in the theory that it is necessary to start with half-a-bid in order to wind up at a fair rate of taxation. The public has been educating itself upon this matter and will be able to recognize a fair offer. The need of relief from the annoying congestion is so urgent that protracted wrangling over the terms will be irritating alike to the traction company and the public. Yet the need is not so urgent that the public will consent to omit a just compensation from the final enactment. In fact, a niggardly policy on the one side is likely to generate a grasping disposition on the other. An offer of wholly inadequate payment is almost certain to be countered by an exorbitant demand, both parties becoming losers to some extent by delay while the differences are being composed.

Speaking of delays, there have been quite a plenty in connection with the ordinance for the Wabash entry into the city and that for the Pennsylvania railroad cut-off from the East End to Brilliant. The Gazette has always advised careful consideration and mature deliberation upon such measures. It has not hesitated to commend the course of councils and the amendments adopted to protect the public interest. But when the franchise tax clause, inserted in the Wabash ordinance, has been put into the Pennsylvania bill it may be assumed councils will have done about all that is possible in the line of caring for the city's interest, except to pass the measures and give the business community the earliest possible advantage of the additional shipping facilities. This latter is one of the most important considerations for the privileges to be conferred and it would be a matter for general congratulation if the city and railroads could exchange agreements in time to make them Christmas gifts. If any little matters have been overlooked by common council they may be added by select. As we understand it, the railroads are now ready for business and waiting for permission from the city to begin work. To delay that permission very much longer will savor of the "hold-up"—the most reprehensible perversion of our system of government by deliberative bodies.

A process for converting low-grade copper ores inexpensively is announced, the application being under Westinghouse auspices. The importance of such an achievement can hardly be overestimated, as it means an increase in the available supply of copper and the cheapening of many electrical appliances. The connection of Mr. Westinghouse with the matter is quite natural. The airbrake led him to the creation of pneumatic switches and signals; the use of an electric current in connection with those devices carried him into the larger electrical field, where he has been so successful; the necessity of power to generate current turned his attention to steam and gas engines, and the large consumption of copper in electrical machinery and wiring makes the connection with copper mining and smelting. Mr. Westinghouse's genius has been evolutionary in its progress from one kindred branch to another, but it has been revolutionary in its influence upon the industries with which he has been connected. It may be so with the production of copper.

The departure of Joseph Chamberlain, colonial secretary of Great Britain, is taken to reveal him to the British eye as the dominant force in the British cabinet, and there is at least momentary truth in the picture. It is, perhaps, because the South African problem remains the dominant one in British politics, and because now that war is [illegible] and it is that civil branch of the government charged with the administration of colonial affairs that occupies the center of the stage in the working to a satisfactory conclusion of the South African drama. Also the partial eclipse of the premier because of the outcry against the education measure doubtless has something to do with it. Mr. Chamberlain in his treatment of the South African dilemma may justify the hopes of his friends and adherents and become, as a result, the real head of British government, but it is not to be overlooked that South Africa is credited with being the grave of many reputations. It is true that Roberts won an earldom and Kitchener a promotion in the peerage, with grants of public moneys to both from the war, but it was the Boer generals and not the British who won lasting fame, even if the latter enjoy the fruits that go to victors. Chamberlain is now merely voyaging to Cape Town. It is his return that will tell the true story of his greatness.

A QUEER PROPOSITION.

Indorsement of notes is a common transaction among individuals, but it is invariably the man who wants the money who finds an indorser; not the bank from whom he seeks to borrow. It would be considered queer business for a bank to pick up some old derelict of the business world and ask a prosperous concern with no interest in the matter to make the bank whole in case the derelict can't pay or won't pay when money is due. That, however, is the sort of proposition Mr. Seligman, the New York banker, is said to have made to President Roosevelt with regard to the Venezuelan loan. It is so preposterous that it is hardly credible it could have been made seriously. What the president thought of it is indicated by the brevity of Mr. Seligman's interview with him.

Venezuela, it is said, proposes to settle by an issue of bonds the claims that England and Germany seek to collect. Mr. Seligman, the story goes, is willing to furnish the money to float the bonds if the United States will guarantee their payment on maturity. This would be a good thing for Venezuela and it would be a good thing for Mr. Seligman, but how would the United States benefit? Venezuela needs the money, and the lender will want it back in the course of time, with interest meanwhile. Mr. Seligman has the money now, and his refusal to part with it except under certain conditions shows that he knows its value. Venezuela's standing as a borrower is illuminated in the thing he asks the president of the United States to consider favorably. Were there a reasonable presumption that Venezuela would pay the principal and interest of the bonds without default Mr. Seligman would do business without asking for a United States guarantee. But Venezuela is a poor financial risk, as has been proven, and what this government is asked to do is to give value where there is none, and for no consideration. This is asking too much.

CONGRESSMAN CONNELL'S SEAT.

If Congressman Connell of the Scranton district can prove the claim that is made in his behalf, Pennsylvania will have one more Republican member in the Fifty-eighth congress, making the delegation stand 29 Republicans to three Democrats. Mr. Connell has placed the matter in the hands of his attorneys, who will endeavor to develop the facts. George Howell, who ran against Congressman Connell, is a Democrat, but the Pennsylvania ballot system and certain Democratic complications formed a conjunction that excluded his name from the Democratic column on the official ballot. His name appeared, however, in another column, and the vote returned showed his election by a majority of 461. Since this return it has been learned that certain election boards had views of their own that do not harmonize with either the letter or the spirit of the law, and that in the counting of the vote their views prevailed over the statutes. Knowing Mr. Howell to be a Democrat they credited him with the vote cast for the Democratic ticket where the voter marked a cross in the circle above the Democratic column, though, as has been explained, Mr. Howell's name did not appear therein. Whether this was done in a sufficient number of cases to count him in does not yet appear, and Mr. Connell's attorneys will endeavor to find out whether it is the case. If it is, there can be no question as to the result, whether the fraud be intentional or the result of innocent ignorance. One election board admits giving 12 such votes to Howell, "believing they were right in doing so, because there was no candidate on the Democratic ticket and Howell had been nominated by the Democrats." Congress is safely Republican without the vote of Mr. Connell, and Pennsylvania's Republicanism does not require additional vindication, either in or out of congress, but this will be no reason for turning a cold shoulder to his claims if he is entitled to his seat. Whoever had a majority of the number of votes lawfully cast for congressman in the Scranton district should have the prize.

COLUMBUS AND PEARY.

Something, of course, must be allowed for the enthusiasm of an explorer and if the explorer be a seeker after the north pole a great deal more allowance must be made. But when Explorer Peary, speaking of the discovery of the pole as "the last great geographical prize that the world has to offer," calls it "a prize that ranks with the prize Columbus won," his enthusiasm carries him farther than most people not hunters after the pole will be willing to go with him. The rank and value of a prize is not wholly determined by the difficulties and dangers in the way of its attainment. What is at the end of the journey has no small part in establishing the measure of fame to be awarded to the traveler into unknown fields. In other words, the glory is in proportion to the value to mankind of the discovery. Columbus braved great perils, but if the result of his daring had been only to add a few islands to the known lands of the earth, the people of the earth would not have joined in celebrating the event four hundred years later. But Columbus opened a new world at no greater risk and cost than if he had discovered a barren bank of sand, and his fame rests, not on the perils of the voyage, or his sagacity as a navigator, but on the grand result. If Mr. Peary could show that mankind will benefit as greatly from the discovery of the north pole as from the discovery of America, we should agree with him that the prize will rank with the prize which Columbus won, but as he can't show it and wouldn't try if asked, we will continue to believe that the achievement of Columbus stands alone and that no great exposition will celebrate the polar triumph four hundred years after the event. It is the fault of no one that the man who first reaches the pole will not rank with Columbus. The perils of polar search may be greater than the perils faced by the Genoese navigator, though he voyaged through pathless wastes of water with crews of superstitious men to an unknown goal, while the seeker for the farthest north moves to a known point, but the return brings no new hope to the human soul or the human heart. The north pole has no message or invitation for mankind. We do not depreciate the purely scientific value of its discovery, nor would we dim the fame of the discoverer, whoever he may be; we merely prick the bubble that Mr. Peary blows. It is pretty while it lasts, but it lacks substance to build on.

INCREASING FACILITIES.

While some interest naturally attaches to the creation of a seashore resort by Pittsburgh capital and energy, particularly on as large a scale as the proposed enterprise at Cape May, the Pittsburgh public is more deeply concerned with the railroad to be constructed from the Connellsville coke fields to the shore of Lake Erie. There is no connection between the two except investment by the same persons, but they have been formally announced together.

Another railroad from the coke region to Lake Erie, via some of the great industrial plants of the Pittsburgh district, will be a factor in solving the freight congestion problem. That problem is the one thing that looms largest in any consideration of the future of Pittsburgh that takes account of the growth warranted by the natural resources of the region. Everyone has seen how the shipping facilities of two years ago were swamped by an expansion of production to the full capacity of existing plants. Everyone knows the heroic efforts of the railroads have not been equal to demands since then. Thoughtful men have been considering, ever since the first blockade, the probabilities of any system being able to care for such expansion as might be expected if Pittsburgh came into all of her own in the matter of production.

The Union Steel Company's railroad and the Jones & Laughlin Company railroad will be factors in the equation. They will be able to carry so much ore, so much coal and coke and a definite amount of finished product. They do not expect to more than care for the traffic of their own mills, however. So it will keep the other railroads and the rivers busy to care for the traffic of outside concerns and that offering for other directions. These lines mean relief from the immediate congestion. They also mean a growth that will soon be taxing every facility to the utmost again.

AN ERA OF CONSOLIDATION.

This world's population is increasing at such a phenomenal rate that unless some of the universe's uninhabitable regions can be reclaimed, or some new continents discovered, things may get uncomfortably crowded before long.

In the last 70 years the number of people on the globe has nearly doubled. The International Statistical institute estimates the growth of population in Europe, which contains a quarter of the world at 85 per cent, while Asia has done almost as well. The number of people in Russia has increased more rapidly than that of any other European country, the gain being nearly 70 millions; which means a growth in population of 150 per cent. Germany has added 88 per cent to the number of her sons and daughters. The population of Great Britain also has gone up by leaps and bounds, and shows a gain of 70 per cent, in spite of the fact that for every ten persons who have been born and remained in the country, five have gone to the United States, and one for every ten to Canada.

These rather startling figures were given to the Royal Statistical society of England by its president, Maj. P. G. Craigie, at a recent meeting. Besides remarking upon the tremendous rate at which the population of the world is increasing, the scientist pointed out how as the world grew older it seemed inclined to concentrate power on a smaller number of political centers. Six states, he said, at the present day govern or protect three-fourths of the world's populaton, and when ten states have been named something like six-sevenths of the peoples of the globe have been grouped and classified. Two great empires—the British and Chinese—accounted for something like half the population of the globe, absorbs between them a multitude of eight hundred million souls, a number of people as great as that which, a century ago, the world comprised. Aggregation of interests and concentration of control seem to be a universal process, which has its economic, as well as its political, phase.

J. K. P. Hall has temporarily diminished the Democratic delegation in congress from Pennsylvania, by resigning his seat, in order to accept a place in the state senate to which he has been elected. Mr. Hall will not be missed from the house at Washington and he may become a leader of the minority at Harrisburg.

If Controller Larkin must go to jail because he refuses to indorse the payment of money for a reservoir that won't hold water, it will make jail-going so respectable that some other means of punishment may have to be devised for people who ought to be sent to jail.

The Mad Mullah of Somaliland and the sultan of Bacolod will be wiser at the end of the chapter, but won't have so much of a field in which to display their wisdom.

Uncle Sam hesitates to guarantee a spanking to Venezuela in the event of that country being no more ready to pay when the bonds mature than now.

It is a queer situation if, according to the statutes made and provided, the man who is attempting to protect the city treasury must go to jail for it.

The question is, if the bridges are raised, who will raise the money to pay for the damages to property?

According to United States Minister Leishman the sultan is a much misunderstood man.

A lot of fine football talent seems to be going to waste in the German reichstag.

While the snow is falling it is well to remember the autumn was ideally pleasant.

Winnipeg gives us the blizzard in return for many American emigrants.

The Pittsburgh Railways Company is getting ready to loop-the-loops.

Severe on Burton.

From the East Liverpool Crisis.

Congressman Burton predicts that congress will do nothing toward the improvement of the Ohio river. The chairman of the rivers and harbors committee probably means, and might have said so, that after the Cleveland harbor has utilized all the moneys needed, if any be left, they will be given to river improvements. And Mr. Burton, from the way he speaks, may have a pretty careful knowledge of what the Lake Erie harbor will want.

Cortelyou Has Earned It.

From the Hartford Courant.

There is no reason at all for questioning the rumor that, if congress establishes a department of commerce this session, Mr. Cortelyou will be appointed to it and taken into the cabinet. He has earned the promotion handsomely. But a more selfish president would hesitate about parting with such a paragon of a secretary. Cortelyous don't grow on every bush.

Another View of It.

From the Topeka State Journal.

The heads of the army object to the banishment of the post canteens because saloons take their places. Then why doesn't congress banish the saloons also? Let a law be passed forbidding saloons in or about government property and beginning the execution of it by turning out those located in the capitol.

Wasted Advice.

From the Baltimore Herald.

Mr. William Dean Howells, in a recent magazine article, advises that girls should read first history, then biography, travels, sciences and philosophic essays. Fiction and poetry, he says, should be read least and last. His advice will receive the same cordial response as that of the man who advises against eating pickles or chocolate bonbons.

NO BELLS TO CALL GOTHAM TO CHURCH

Only Silence, Open Doors and Solemn Looking Sexton to Indicate Services.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 30.

What have become of the church bells? Time was, not many decades ago, when the chimes in the belfry calling the pious to their devotions was looked on only as second to the sermon in importance, as leading the thoughts of worshippers to higher things. Poets have written thousands of verses about church bells. Novelists, notably Dickens, have been inspired to some of their most thrilling descriptive work by their melody. It is one of the leading French authors that says somewhere, "and bells were quarreling in the clouds," thus painting a broad musical picture in half a dozen words. One could go on ad infinitum repeating poetic allusions to chiming bells, and might suppose, from the way they have been glorified, that they would be always welcome to the ear. But walk along Fifth avenue or any thoroughfare in New York in which there are many churches on a Sunday morning and you must be struck by the absence of bell-peals. There are some notable chimes in this city, but very few. St. Patrick's cathedral, Trinity and Grace church are each noted for the magnificent harmonies of their bells, and there are other old-fashioned places of worship scattered about Greater New York the congregations of which are summoned by bell music more or less beautiful. Most of the modern churches offer only the silent invitation of open doorways, and serious-looking sextons on the steps. The church parade along the "avenue" on Sunday morning is brilliant from a sartorial point of view, particularly on a clear and sunny Sunday morning, but the only music is the chatter of feminine voices, punctured by the distant ring of car-gongs in Broadway. Even in Pittsburgh there are many churches without chimes, but the bells that are there can be heard all over the city, and one hardly notices that they are only occasional. It is said that some persons object to church bells as a nuisance. The charge is made that they are annoying to sick and nervous persons, and should be abated as one of the institutions inimical to comfort and health. Perhaps that is the reason there are so few in this city. Of the fact anyone can convince himself by walking abroad any Sunday morning at church time.

My Lady Peggy Comes Today.

One of the notable theatrical openings of tomorrow evening will be that of the new comedy by Frances Aymar Mathews, entitled "My Lady Peggy Goes to Town," at the Amphion, in Brooklyn. Miss Mathews may be called a Pittsburgher, although I am not sure that she ever lived in Pittsburgh. She has written a great deal for various Pittsburgh publications, however, particularly the Bulletin, to which she was a regular contributor for years in the lifetime of the late John W. Black. As a writer of short stories, she was recognized by him as little short of a genius, and Miss Mathews is always ready to pay tribute to his appreciation of her efforts when she was not so widely known as she is today. The play to be seen for the first time tomorrow is a dramatization of a novel by Miss Mathews, which has been one of the successes of the year, and the indications are that there will be a brilliant company to welcome saucy "Lady Peggy" to the footlights.

Rest for Weary Shoppers.

There is a "Woman's Noonday club" in the shopping district, where shoppers can drop in for a rest and a luncheon between whiles, to go forth again to the battle of the bargains with renewed strength and vigor. The prices in the restaurant are moderate, ranging from 1 cent to 5. You can buy a cracker or two for a penny, while for 5 cents there is quite an elaborate spread. Magazines and newspapers are there, and parcels are checked free. The idea, which is not confined to New York, is spreading rapidly, and such clubs are about to repeat themselves over and over again in all parts of Greater New York.

My Observant Friend, the Brakeman.

An observant brakeman on a suburban train can tell what is going on in New York by merely looking over his passengers. He says that "bargain day" is the day on which he carries by far the larger number of women from places within a radius of 20 miles of New York than at any other time. Friday is "bargain day" in New York, and that is when the brakeman finds it difficult to get seats for all his passengers, and has to depend on the gallantry of masculine commuters for the comfort of ladies. "I never knew my train to be anything but crowded on a Friday, even though it were raining cats, dogs and pitchforks. Bad weather cannot keep women away from bargain sales," was his sage conclusion.

Uneasy Heads That Wear Helmets.

The uncomfortable feeling in the police department that lightning is likely to strike anywhere disturbs the calm of this day of rest in many a police station. It is rumored that some captains and sergeants are to be arrested, and that even an inspector may fall into the dragnet. Jerome, district attorney, has been keeping his eyes open, and it is feared that he has his gaze fixed on some members of the force who are suspected of crooked dealings. The sensation of unrest prevailed all of yesterday, as well as today, and persons that may be concerned are waiting anxiously for the morrow.

Army Lads Are Most Popular.

Football is not dead yet. New Yorkers by the hundreds went to Philadelphia yesterday to see the struggle between West Point and Annapolis. Aside from the passion for football that possesses most New Yorkers, there was the patriotic sentiment connected with the battle on the gridiiron which is strong enough to draw a crowd of Americans from any city. West Point is peculiarly a New York institution, too. The people of this metropolis are as interested in the navy as in the army, in the abstract. But West Point is close at hand, and it is human nature to have a warm feeling for one's own. So most New Yorkers carried West Point colors.

Old Ocean Backs Up Again.

High water hereabouts comes from a different reason than that which brings floods to Pittsburgh. Here it is the high wind that sends the sea rushing up on the shores, and puts cities on the ocean front well under water. Long Island sound is peculiarly susceptible to the influence of wind in this respect, and there are dismal tales of floods injuring many a summer home of a New Yorker.

Moving Day for Jungle Folk.

Bostock's animal arena, which has occupied St. Nicholas garden for eight weeks past, is in process of removal today. It is a big job to box up lions, tigers, leopards, grizzly bears and other powerful animals, so that there shall be no danger of their breaking out in transit, and West Sixty-sixth street was a joyous place to the small boy today, Sunday and all as it was. It will take a day or two to get the whole collection away and on board the cars for the next stand. It is understood that the Bostock show will be in Pittsburgh in the spring, if a suitable place can be found for it.

Chip Off Old Block.

A young man, with clear complexion and smooth chin, but with something of his father's keenness in his eyes, is Hall Caine, Jr. He does not look more than 21, which, I believe, is his age. He is a frequent figure in the crowds that pass up and down Broadway, and is known to most of the theatrical and literary people that crowd the theater portion of that thoroughfare on a bright Saturday afternoon. It was such an afternoon yesterday. Mr. Caine said that his London magazine, Household Words, was doing well, and that he hoped to improve it when he returned, as a result of his visit to America. It is said that the young man has nearly completed a play, which may be put on at a Broadway theater in opposition to his father's "Eternal City." Young Caine only laughed and blushed a little when I asked him about this, however.

Politicians Find Use for Auto.

Tammany hall is always interested in anything and everything pertaining to elections. Word comes from Poughkeepsie than automobiles were used to gather returns, and that they were obtained quicker than by any method tried before. It is said that Tammany leaders will have automobiles for election use next time. The only thing that worries some of the "heelers" is that they have not settled in their minds how they can use the auto as a voting machine as well as a swift carrier of election news.

Breaks Union Club's Solitude.

Imagine the dignified Union club allowing workmen to wander about their club house, boring holes in the flooring and performing other operations connected with masonry work! That kind of thing happened last week, however. This massive building at Fifth avenue and Twenty-first street is one of the best known club homes in New York. The window shades are generally up at night, and the passerby can see into the solemn parlors, with their heavy furniture, rich portieres and grave-looking business men sitting solidly back in the great leather chairs. The essence of a club is that it shall be secure from intrusion. But the Union club, having sold the building, intending to go into their new house, just 30 blocks up the avenue, are obliged to submit to the presence of workmen, or get out altogether. Their new house is not yet finished, and what can they do? The intention of the purchasers of the old site is to put up a 15-story business building, and they have to bore far down into the earth to find bed-rock for the foundations. In consideration of being allowed to do this, they have consented that the club shall occupy the house until the 29th of December. On that date the club must get out, whether its new edifice is finished or not.

Boxers Are Helping Their Chief.

There are two factions in the New York fire department, known as the "pinkies" and "boxers," respectively. The "pinkies" are opposed to Fire Chief Croker, who is fighting the order of dismissal of Commissioner Sturgis, while the "boxers" are his friends. The "pinkies" are not sure that they have gained a victory as they were a few days ago. Croker may lead his "boxers" to victory yet, if the supreme court stands by him.

Imprudence Draws Crowds.

There was a string of well-dressed women, mostly young, along West Thirty-eighth street, just off Broadway, yesterday, which reached nearly to Sixth avenue. It was an unusual spectacle, but easily explained. They were waiting to get into the "Family Circle" at the Knickerbocker, to see the matinee beauty, William Faversham, in "Imprudence." What is an hour's wait on the flagstones to a New York damsel who yearns to look upon her favorite romantic actor?

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
W. C. Pressing, Mrs. L. P. Warren,
C. Overholt, Miss I. Warren,
W. D. George, T. C. Crahain.
D. H. Cable.

MANHATTAN.
J. H. Reed, J. F. Miller.
Mrs. J. H. Reed.

VENDOME.
J. M. Martin, Mrs. J. M. Martin.

HERALD SQUARE.
J. Eaton.

IMPERIAL.
E. E. Bayerlle, W. H. McFarland.
Mrs. E. E. Bayerlle, Mrs. W. H. McFarland.
W. H. Adams, Jr., J. Jenkins.
C. E. Flinn, B. J. Devlin.
H. J. White,

HOLLAND.
E. P. Remington, T. Morrison,
H. I. Adair, Mrs. T. Morrison,
C. A. Amstrong, C. S. Miller.
Mrs. C. A. Anderson.

GILSEY.
E. I. Dodds.

EARLINGTON.
Mrs. J. F. Young.

VICTORIA.
C. S. Spraner.

FIFTH AVENUE.
M. R. Marshall.

CONTINENTAL.
H. W. Stern.

BROADWAY CENTRAL.
F. Schiller.

ASTOR.
H. Bock, W. P. Hannon.

SUNDAY GAZETTE'S LITERARY FEATURES WERE NOTICEABLE

Yesterday's issue of The Sunday Gazette was pre-eminently devoted to the annual literary number, but in other respects it was a rare achievement in modern newspaper making. No publication in Pittsburgh had ever attempted printing a comprehensive book number, and the 24-paged literary supplement which was given with The Gazette contained an epitome of the history of current literature. The subject matter was prepared under the direction of George Seibel, literary editor of The Gazette, and nothing in that line published by eastern newspapers excelled its contents. The supplement was profusely illustrated.

The woman's section eclipsed all previous numbers: Its pages were adorned with the best work of The Gazette's large staff of artists and contained eight pages filled with bright news and gossip of interest to feminine readers. Three pages were devoted to society news and women's clubs. The news of the theaters in Pittsburgh, and in the big cities, filled two pages, and whole sections were given to special stories of travel, commerce and industries, and to the bright letters of The Gazette's large corps of European correspondents.

The fiction pages contained several breezy stories. The humorous section was full of good wholesome laughter, Payne's Coon Hollow animals being in their best mood for the entertainment of the little folks.

The Sunday Gazette does not let its special features overshadow its news columns, and yesterday's issue contained an exhaustive report of the latest happenings of the whole world.

Oscar Holliday Danghart't tinted sketch, "Between the Acts," given gratis with each copy of The Sunday Gazette, was a sumptuous supplement. Many of the readers of The Gazette are having these beautiful sketches bound in portfolio form for holiday gifts.

THE DEATH ROLL.

John J. Folan.

John J. Folan, manager of Joyce's department store, died yesterday at the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. T. C. Joyce, No. 5305 Fifth avenue.

The death of Mr. Folan removes an energetic business man, one who carved out for himself a place in the community which will be hard for anyone to fill. He was a man whose motto was "Eternal vigilance is the price of success," and his life's work showed that he kept

John J. Folan.

this motto in mind. While he was a business man in every sense of the word, and was a strict disciplinarian, he had the respect of his business competitors and his employes alike.

Mr. Folan was born in Ireland 37 years ago. In 1892 he married Margaret Connolly, daughter of the late Andrew Connolly, and a sister of Mrs. Joyce. For a number of years he was in the drygoods business in New York city, where he gained the experience which during the last three years played a marvelous part in Pittsburgh in his association as a member of the firm of Joyce's, who established a business of magnitude in shorter time than far-sighted merchants believed possible, much of the success being due to his keen sense of the value of newspaper advertising.

Mr. Folan's death was due to complications developed from a cold he contracted about a year ago. Everything was done to restore him to health. When the disease made itself so apparent, on the advice of his friends he took an extended trip south, and while for a time this seemed to benefit him, he came back home still suffering. The best medical skill of the country was secured, but even this did not prevent his untimely death. The deceased was a member of the St. Agnes Roman Catholic church and a member of the Duquesne council, Knights of Columbus. He is survived by his widow and three children.

The Rev. W. G. Reed.

The Rev. W. G. Reed, the senior member of the Allegheny Presbytery of the United Presbyterian church, died at his residence in Springdale on Saturday night. He had been ill but a short time, having been taken a few weeks ago with the grip. This developed into pneumonia. Mr. Reed was over 74 years old at the time of his death, and was born in Pittsburgh. He was graduated from the Duquesne college in 1846. He was licensed to preach by the presbytery in 1849, and in 1854 was ordained as pastor of the Mahoning, Lawrence county, United Presbyterian church. In 1860 he was called to the Harmarville church, out of which the church at Springdale grew. Mr. Reed retained the two pastorates for a number of years, until about a year ago, when he was forced to resign the Harmarville charge on account of advancing age. He had been a preacher in the Allegheny presbytery for 42 years, and had occupied a pastorate in that presbytery longer than any other minister. Mr. Reed was exceedingly well thought of by his brother ministers and his friends, and his death occasioned great regret. Mr. Reed will be buried from the Springdale United Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Lewis McMullen.

Lewis McMullen, aged 55, a prominent member of the bar of Allegheny county, died at his residence, No. 5435 Stanton avenue, yesterday morning of apoplexy. Mr. McMullen was apparently in good health earlier in the morning, but dropped dead shortly after 9 o'clock. He was a man who rose in life through sheer force of ability. When quite young he was apprenticed to a machinist, learning that trade. While working as a machinist, Mr. McMullen devoted his spare time to the study of the law. He abandoned his old trade and was admitted to the bar in February, 1872, and has been an active practioner ever since. Mr. McMullen was born in Armstrong county and came to Pittsburgh when he was 15 years old. He is survived by a wife and five children. He will be buried from his late residence tomorrow afternoon and the interment will be made in the Allegheny cemetery.

Harry Luther Kiehl.

Harry Luther Kiehl, aged 34 years, died at the residence of his parents near Bentleyville last night. He was graduated fro mthe West Penn Medical college in 1897 with honors, securing an Ph. D degree as well as an M. D., and had many friends in this city. He resided in Fayette city, where he practiced medicine and was president of the councils. He was at the time of his death, physician to the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad at Fayette. Mr. Kiehl's death is attributed to heart failure. He went to visit his parents over Thanksgiving and took sick the following day. Mr. Kiehl was a member of the Royal Arcanum. A widow survives him. He will be buried tomorrow at noon from his late residence in Fayette City.

Funeral of Frank A. Dean.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Frank A. Dean, general freight agent of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, will be held at his former residence, No. 1233 Fayette street, Allegheny, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment, which will be private, will be held after the services. The honorary pallbearers, chosen from Mr. Dean's associates among local railroad men, will be: Col. J. M. Schoonmaker, Frank M. Osborne, William Stewart, John G. Robbins, L. A. Robison, C. H. Bronson, W. A. Terry, R. D. Evans, S. H. Utley, Col. Chambers McKibbin, S. P. Shane, C. A. Wight, J. G. McCague, H. J. Lawrence, W. L. Cromlish, S. T. Woodside, G. J. Grammer, George O. Morgan, S. L. Seymour and James Means.

Jacob Perkins.

Jacob Perkins, a leading citizen of Warren, O., and a son of the late H. B. Perkins, died today of pneumonia, aged 62. He was a Yale graduate. He was a trustee of the state hospital at Cleveland and was a leader in Republican political circles of Ohio. He was single. His mother and two sisters, Mrs. Smith, wife of Judge Samuel Smith of Cincinnati, and Miss Mary Perkins survive.

Mrs. Duncan Campbell.

Mrs. Clarissella Ann Campbell, wife of Duncan Campbell, died at the family residence, Fourth street and Braddock avenue, Braddock, shortly after 11 o'clock Saturday night, after a short illness, aged 41 years. She was born in Nova Scotia and for many years lived at Tarr, Westmoreland county. She is survived by her husband and eight children.

Obituary Notes.

William M. Harg died yesterday at his residence in Woodlawn avenue, Allegheny, at the age of 59.

On the Right Track.

From the Minneapolis Tribune.

Those Nebraska Indians who want the exclusive Indian schools abolished and their children sent to the regular public schools to mingle with white children, are on the right track. Their complaint that their children cannot acquire the proper spirit of civilization when segregated, and that such segregation makes them feel as if they were regarded as an inferior race, is well taken. Possibly the white children would object to mingling in school with the reds, but such objection is not likely to be very general. There is less objection among whites to personal association with Indians—if the latter are reasonably clean—than to negroes; and yet negro children are received in the public schools of the great majority of the northern states.

Value of Dead Train Robbers.

From the Indianapolis Sentinel.

The announcement of the Burlington officials that a dead train robber is worth $1,000 to any of its employes is the most sensible action that has yet been taken for the suppression of train robbery. It is reported that the Burlington employes are now going armed and the chances are that the next time train robbers tackle a Burlington train the usual program will be varied. A few dead train robbers will put a decided damper on the business.

GOV. DURBIN'S NEW CLOCK

Mystery Remained Unsolved Until His Wife Appeared on the Scene.

Several days ago Gov. Durbin made a complaint that the clock in his office did not keep good time, says the Indianapolis Sentinel. He spoke of the matter to Col. Charles E. Wilson, his military secretary, who in turn referred the matter to "Sam" Shutt, chief engineer at the state house.

Mr. Shutt decided that the best thing to do would be to place in the executive parlors a clock that would be regulated by electricity.

Later a messenger entered Col. Wilson's office carrying a bundle under his arm and asked where he wanted the clock placed. The bundle was unwrapped, but the object disclosed in no wise resembled a clock. It looked like an infernal machine under a glass case. The complicated works within were of brass and were brightly burnished. Hanging from the contrivance was an object that looked like a miniature turret used on battleships. The messenger insisted that the package was a clock and left it with Col. Wilson.

A few minutes later Gov. Durbin entered and was shown the object. "The idea of Mr. Shutt purchasing such an object as that for the office," he said. "Col. Wilson, take the matter up with Mr. Shutt and have it exchanged for something that will keep time."

When Mr. Shutt was called in and asked why he had purchased such a machine for the governor's office he took a long look at the brightly burnished instrument and asked what it was for. He said he never saw it before.

Shortly thereafter Mrs. Durbin entered the office, and when she saw the combination of glass and bright brass and silken cords, she threw up her hands in despair and exclaimed: "There is the clock that I bought the governor as a Christmas present to keep on his desk, and now he has seen it."

At 4:25 yesterday afternoon the hands of the clock pointed to 3:20.

NEW WAY TO PAY OLD DEBT.

The old adage "All things come to him who waits," has been demonstrated to the satisfaction of one Clevelander at least, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. One Sunday morning not long ago Dr. H. L. Spencer and wife were passengers on a Euclid avenue car, being on their way to church. Much to his consternation, the doctor found himself without car fare, having neglected to change his pocketbook when he donned his Sabbath attire. Not being able to discover a friend on the car he explained the situation to the conductor and presented one of his cards, saying he would settle with the company later.

The autocrat of the bellrope glanced at the bit of pasteboard, then at the doctor and hesitated a moment. With great deliberation he began stocking half dollars in his hand and held them out to the anxious passenger.

The doctor assured him that he didn't care to borrow any money but merely to ride as far as the church. But the conductor forced the change upon him with the statement that several years ago the doctor had attended his wife in Youngstown and the bill had never been paid. Under the circumstances he was only too glad to finally square the long standing account.

AN ANIMATED SQUASH.

"I went up to visit a friend in the country yesterday," said a traveling man to a Columbus Dispatch reporter, "and while walking about the yard I saw a sight that for a moment made me feel that I was in anything but the blue-ribbon stakes. Out in the yard was one of those long necked, greenish squashes that resemble a gourd, and this squash was moving about the yard in a most erratic manner. I rubbed my eyes and looked again. I could plainly see that fool squash still gyrating. Then I looked closer and saw the long legs of a half grown rooster projecting from the squash, like the propellers of a lake tug. Then the mystery was explained. The rooster had pecked a hole in the squash and had eaten the insides out clean. He had got in so far and his crop was so full, that he could not get out again and there he was. He was trying to kick himself loose. I rescued the rooster, smashed the squash and my nerves were quieted."

PERSONALS.

Congressman Edgar Weeks of Clemens, who represents the Seventh district of Michigan, accompanied by daughter, went to Washington last night after spending the day with friends in Pittsburgh. "The present session of congress," he said, "will be mainly devoted to the routine appropriation bills and other necessary measures. I don't expect much else will be done, but the next session will be pregnant with important national issues." He said every part of the country was clamoring for big appropriations, and that congress will have to scale everything. He would not commit himself as to his position in regard to a 9-foot stage of water between Pittsburgh and Cairo. He said: "The appropriation that will be asked for is too great. There is now money appropriated for rivers and harbors, that has not been expended on the improvements for which it was given, and until this money is exhausted it is not likely that any more appropriations will be made for this purpose."

Among those who went east last night were Recorder George M. von Bonnhorst and Richard R. Quay.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Among those at the leading hotels last night were the following persons from nearby points:

Menongahela—J. H. Paxon, Elyria; C. B. Hilderbrant, Wilmington, O.; W. H. Koontz, Somerset; J. C. McSpaddin, Rockwood; D. J. Hor

GODFREY STENGEL CELEBRATED HIS 80th BIRTHDAY YESTERDAY.

Surrounded by his children, and congratulated by his friends, Godfrey Stengel, father of George H. Stengel, register of wills-elect, celebrated in a quiet way yesterday the eightieth anniversary of his birth. All his children were present except Dr. Alfred Stengel of Philadelphia, who telephoned on Saturday that he would be unable to come, as he had a number of patients under his care whose condition would not justify him in leaving them. He telephoned his congratulations.

Godfrey Stengel was born in Germany, and when he was nine years old was left alone in the world, his parents, three brothers and two sisters having died. Shortly after he arrived in this country he became rodman, and then assistant engineer on the New York & Lake Erie railroad, and later chief engineer of the Baltimore & Southwestern railroad.

When the civil war broke out Mr. Stengel was assigned to the engineer corps of Gen. John C. Fremont's army, and was soon made chief of the corps. He came to Pittsburgh in 1864 to construct the Monongahela Water Company's plant. He held the position of superintendent of the plant for 27 years. He retired in 1891, when he removed to the East End, where he now resides, in Leigh avenue.

Cleans as well as polishes

GORHAM SILVER POLISH

The most economical in use. Contains no injurious substance.

All responsible jewelers keep it 25 cents a package

H'LE WITH PRESIDENT ON NEEDS OF THE NAVY

Question of Size Or Numbers Is Agitating Factions Among Officers.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.

Size versus numbers of battleships is now the paramount question in the navy. The foremost officers are found ranged on two sides of this proposition: "Shall we build more of the expensive 16,000-ton battleships of the type of the Connecticut, or shall we revert to the less costly Indiana and Oregon class?"

Secretary Moody, in his annual report, recommends that congress authorize the construction of two battleships, the type of which he does not specify.

Senator Hale, chairman of the committee on naval affairs of the upper house, the most prominent factor in naval legislation for a decade, has opened the ball by declaring himself opposed to the construction of any more battleships of immense tonnage.

"I am in harmony with the president in the matter of increasing the navy, and while I would not go so far as to say that we should do as much at the coming session as we did last winter, I believe in moderate additions," said Senator Hale today.

"I am told that the contractors are already behind in the work on the ships already authorized. I will not go so far as to say that we should have the best navy in the world, but we should have as good, and as up-to-date ships as float. I am opposed to the construction of any more of the large battleships of a tonnage of 14,000 to 16,000. Experience has shown that we could build three ships of the Oregon type for what it costs for two of the larger ones. Small battleships of good speed—say 17 knots—are more effective in a modern navy. I also believe in a moderate increase as the years go by in the armored cruisers."

Lodge Instituted at Altoona.

ALTOONA, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The Order of Eagles successfully instituted a very large lodge here today at the new quarters in the Mateer block. Two hundred and 50 charter members were initiated. The officers are: Past worthy president, S. M. Fisher; worthy president, Thomas H. Greevy; secretary, Clyde Brown; treasurer, E. S. Forney; chaplain, A. B. Clark; conductor, H. H. Roddy; guards, W. B. Tompkins and E. S. Raugh; trustees, Charles Lentz, Dr. John Sweer and J. P. Barclay; physician, Dr. C. K. McGarrah.

A Winter's Stay in California Or in Sunny Mexico.

A trip to the Pacific coast or to Mexico may be made on tourist tickets now on sale at special rates via Pennsylvania lines. Return limit on tickets covers the winter season. Call on or communicate with J. K. Dillon, D. P. Agt., room 396 Park building, Pittsburgh.

M'KEES ROCKS TO THE FRONT

Sunday Crowds at Museum Want to See Relics from Famous Mound.

BEAUTY OF FIRST SNOW

Many Enjoyed Tramp Over the Snow-Covered Paths—Art Galleries and Organ Recital Popular—Two New Baby Lions.

Nature in ideal winter robes graced Pittsburgh's parks yesterday and the visitors who picked their way along the snow-decked pathways were rewarded by glorious views of all the subtle charms of the new season. Under dark grayish skies the immaculate white outlines of the silent landscapes afforded a most inviting prospect. Pretty girls in their winter furs were out in goodly numbers and their silvery laughter mingled with the muffled echoes from the snow-clad hills made a pleasant harmony, betokened by the clang of skates and the merry tinkle of sleighbells, soon to come.

While downtown streets were covered in reeking slush the thoroughfares in the East End presented an enchanting picture of winter. The ground was covered to the depth of two inches with the "beautiful," and the naked branches of the trees were clothed in the white sheen, inviting the most unmitigated stay-at-home to venture forth and enjoy the coming of the snow king.

Interested in Relics.

Few persons visited the conservatory, and the majority of the visitors to the Carnegie Institute lingered in the art galleries and the museum. The revival of interest in the ancient mound at McKees Rocks was shown by the big crowd that viewed the curios taken from the Indian mound by Thomas Harper in 1896. The stone implements and the skeletons were objects of especial interest. An Indian blanket-maker, who is in the city, was one of the visitors to this part of the museum, and described the uses of the ancient war clubs preserved among the relics of the aborigines.

The majority of the visitors expressed hope that an effort would be made to extract the remaining bones and implements from the McKees Rocks mound. By some it was suggested that the Indian watchtower on the face of the cliff should be removed to the museum.

During the afternoon the crowd became so large around the McKees Rocks mementoes that the attendants were obliged to form the sightseers in line while they passed the relics.

Two New Lion Cubs.

"The people have evidently been reading the newspapers religiously," said one of the attendants, "and if anything more is printed about the McKees Rocks mound we shall scarcely be able to accommodate the crowds. Some persons imagine that we have the bones of Koskomongo and his bride, Mantacera, in this case. Of course, these skeletons have not been identified as to the names, and inasmuch as they were found buried underneath trees 200 years old, it is safe to say that they belonged to none of the aborigines with whom we are familiar in history."

Stormy weather did not interfere with the attendance at the organ recital by Edwin H. Lemare and seats were hard to procure after the first number. The attendance at the Saturday night recital was also large.

At Highland park more than 1,000 persons visited the big animal house. These in the afternoon were in time to congratulate Sadie, the old lioness, who was the mother of twins. The cubs are a pair of husky little fellows. They are numbers 19 and 20 in Sadie's family. Few persons were allowed to disturb the old lioness yesterday, and it will be a week before they are placed on exhibition. The tapir which was expected to reach the zoo two weeks ago, is still to be heard from.

An Italian with the Hibernian name of Andy Mike, living in Liberty avenue, visited the Highland park zoo yesterday and was greatly interested in the monkeys. The interest created was mutual, for when Mike handed in through the bars a handful of matches the monkeys promptly took them and at first liked them. On second thought they decided they had made a mistake in eating them, for dire results followed the sulphur lunch. Some of the brutes got very sick. Others were thrown into a fighting humor and became so enraged that they threatened to tear the cages apart. When Mike became fully aware of the trouble he had created he started to depart, but was arrested by Officer Andrew Horn and lodged in No. 6 station charged with violating a city ordinance.

However bad the Cough, relief will come through a judicious use of Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant and in the great majority of cases, a permanent cure will follow.

Like the Fog Horn

Did you ever hear the fog horn at night sounding its blasts of warning and of danger ahead?

Backache acts in much the same way—

It is the note of warning sent out to tell you that the kidneys are out of order and need help—

Kidneys are made to filter the blood. If they are sick and can't do their work backache comes as a warning cry—

But backache is only the beginning—following it comes Diabetes, Urinary trouble, Bright's Disease—Death.

You can't have a well back with sick kidneys.

Better get at the root of the matter at once and help them. It's dangerous to wait.

Doan's Kidney Pills

Cure backache because they cure sick kidneys. Do not upset the system nor act upon other organs—just simply and naturally cure kidney troubles of all sorts. Have done it and are doing it right here in Pittsburgh every day.

Read what your own neighbors say:

"Two years ago last summer I was greatly troubled with backache, the result of weak kidneys. I was laid up, unable to work from April to October. Suffered everything that man could suffer. Got no benefit at all from physicians, and had about given up hope, when I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I took the advice and have blessed Doan's Kidney Pills ever since. Why, they cured me in no time. Made me feel as well and strong as I ever had in my life. I'm only too glad to recommend them.

"C. R. BROWN,
"50 Fifteenth Street, Pittsburgh."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale at all drug stores—50c a box—Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

DO YOU COUGH DON'T DELAY TAKE KEMP'S BALSAM THE BEST COUGH CURE

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

Do Your Xmas Buying Now and Save Money, Time and Worry.

BLACK & BARKER
PENN 817 AVE
YOU CAN HAVE CREDIT.

All Mail Orders for Goods Advertised Promptly and Carefully Filled.

LET us be your good Santa Claus this Christmas and there'll be no disappointment or cause for complaint in regard to appropriate presents. Holiday goods stacked nine stories high! No back numbers, no left overs from last season, but a brand new stock including many charming conceits in staple and fancy goods that you won't find elsewhere. Come in and see the display whether you wish to buy or not. Make as small a deposit as you wish and we shall cheerfully reserve any articles selected and deliver them just when you say.

Buffets—An immense line of them in latest designs—see the ones we're selling for only..... $10.00

Toilet Tables — You couldn't think of anything nicer for a Christmas gift—upwards from..... $8.50

Overstuffed Leather Rockers—Nothing more suitable as Xmas gifts—ask to see the ones selling this week at $45, $36 and down to..... $24.00

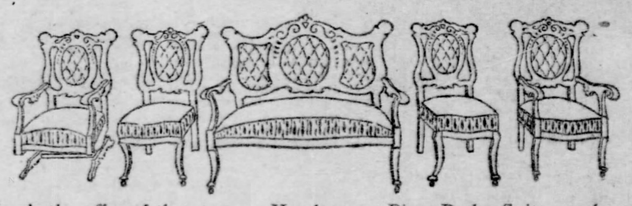
Bedroom Suites — The woman doesn't live who can't be suited from the line we show. Prices $150 down to... $15.00

Library Tables — Golden Oak or Flemish—all styles at all prices—upwards from..... $6.00

Massive Brass Beds—Very latest designs—$42.50, $35 and down to..... $28.00

Hall Settles—golden oak, weathered oak and polished mahogany—handsome ones.. $10.00

Rockers — Polished oak and mahogany—a magnificent collection, suitable for holiday gifts, from $25 down to..... $3.50



Here's the offer of the season. Handsome 5-Piece Parlor Suite—mahogany frame—richly upholstered in different shades of high pile verona—the most costly and durable upholstering made—a suite that positively sells in most houses for $60—just to test the virtue of printers' ink we make the price for this week only..... $38

If you miss this bargain don't blame us for it. The offer is good for this week—no longer.

FANCY PARLOR PIECES.

The most fascinating collection of these to be found anywhere:

Corner Chairs, upholstered in satin damask; also Roman Reception Chairs—upwards from..... $7.50

Fancy Divans—newest designs—just opened—upwards from..... $12.50

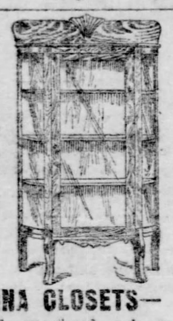
Children's Morris Chairs

Solid oak frames—reversible velour cushions—$5.00 ones for this week only—cut to..... $3.50

Misses' Morris Chairs

Elegantly upholstered—highly polished solid oak frames—the $7.50 kind for this week only at..... $5.50

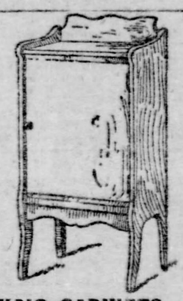
FULL-SIZE MORRIS CHAIRS, Regular $8.50 ones this week at only..... $5.90



CHINA CLOSETS—Solid quartered oak—removable shelves—exactly like cut—our price for this week only $15.00

With Mirror, $17.50.

LADIES' WRITING DESKS—Oak and mahogany—more styles than you'll care to look at—$85 down to $3.50



MUSIC CABINETS—39 inches high, 14 inches deep—mahogany finish—5 removable shelves—sell regularly at $9—here at only $4.75

Solid Oak Combination Bookcases—a regular $20 value—as a holiday trade enlivener this week only..... $13.50

Fancy Gold Chairs—upholstered in Satin Damask; $6, $5.50 and down to..... $4.50

Parlor Tables—a selection such as you've never seen before—See the popular priced ones at $2, $1.50, $1.25, 90c and down to..... 75c

Full size Velour Couches—exceptional values at $14, $12, $10 and down to..... $7.50

Dinner Sets—100 pieces—selling here at $15.00, $12.00, $10.00, $8.50 down to..... $6.00

Massive Dining Room Tables—Latest designs from the leading manufacturers of the country—$75 down to..... $3.75

Mahogany Parlor Cabinets—fine ones at $20, $18, $16 and down to..... $13.50

Dining Chairs—A line that will please—values that will strongly appeal to the economically inclined—see our Box Seat Diner—real leather upholstering, at..... $2.90

BLACK & BARKER HAVE YOU CAN CREDIT 817 PENN AVENUE

The Store That Trusts You and That You Can Trust.

BLACK & BARKER HAVE YOU CAN CREDIT 817 PENN AVENUE

There's Merit in THE PITTSBURGH BREWING CO'S BEER—ALE—PORTER.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

ANCHOR LINE

United States Mail Steamship from New York Every Saturday for GLASGOW VIA LONDONDERRY

First Saloon Passage, $40 and upwards. Second Saloon, $35 and upwards. Third Class, $26 and upwards.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

DIRECT TO NAPLES

S. S. Perugia, Saturday, Dec. 20.

HENDERSON BROTHERS, Agents, 17 and 19 Broadway, N. Y., or J. J. McCORMICK, 140 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

JAPAN-CHINA -PHILIPPINE ISLANDS VIA HONOLULU, Pacific Mail S. S.Co., Occidental and Oriental S. S. Co. From San Francisco: Doric, Dec. 11, 10c; Nippon Maru, Dec. 19, 1c; Peru, Dec. 27, 1902. For passage and freight rates, reservation, passage, orders and information, apply to F. B. Choate, Agent, 315 Park building, Pittsburgh.

RIVER PACKETS.

Pittsburgh and Cincinnati Packet Line

Strs. for Wheeling, Marietta, Parkersburg, Gallipolis, Huntington, Ironton, Portsmouth, Cincinnati, Louisville, Memphis, St. Louis, New Orleans and way landings. Leave wharfboat, Fourth Wood, as follows: Str. Keystone State, Monday; Queen City, Wednesday; Virginia, Saturday, at 4 p. m. Fare—Pgh. to Cin., $7; round trip, $12 and $14, meals, berths, included; down by boat, return by rail, $14. For freight or passage apply to Jas. A. Henderson, Mgr. Tel. 1762 Court.

PITTSBURGH AND PARKERSBURG SEMI-WEEKLY PACKET.

STEAMER BEN HUR, H. E. Cramer, Master; Ed. Dunn, Clerk, leaves Patterson's wharfboat Monday, 12 m., Thursday, 4 p. m. Connecting with Str. Helen Gould at Parkersburg for Charleston and all way landings. S. R. Patterson & Co., G. H. Ghriest, 307 Water st., Agents. 'Phone 428.

KANAWHA RIVER PACKET.

STEAMER KANAWHA, W. E. Roe, master; leaves Patterson's wharfboat every Tuesday, 4 p. m., for Wheeling, Marietta, Parkersburg, Gallipolis, Charleston and way points. Finest passenger and freight accommodations. S. R. Patterson & Co., G. H. Ghriest, agents, No. 307 Water st. Tel. 428.

RAILROADS.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

(Eastern Standard Time.)

Leave station, Smithfield and Water Sts.:

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.....	* 6:30 am	* 9:15 pm
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas...	* 6:30 am	† 8:05 pm
Wash., Balt. & N. York..	* 8:00 am	* 7:55 pm
Conn'v., Un'tn & Fairm't.	* 8:00 am	* 7:55 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt....	* 1:00 pm	* 3:05 pm
West Newton Accom.....	*10:00 am	† 8:00 am
Conn'v., Un'tn, Mors'n..	† 1:30 pm	*10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas...	† 1:30 pm	† 3:05 pm
Connellsville Accom.....	* 4:00 pm	† 8:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia and New York (Duquesne Lim.)..	* 3:30 pm	* 9:15 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila....	* 9:00 pm	* 7:00 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7:05 am	*10:05 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp...	* 8:30 am	* 7:45 am
Whg., Zanesv. & Col. Ac.	* 1:00 pm	* 3:05 pm
Wash. (Pa.) and Wheel....	* 4:50 pm	* 6:50 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp...	* 8:50 pm	* 7:45 pm
Whg. Col. & Cin. Exp....	*11:50 pm	

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleve., Akron & Youngst.	* 7:50 am	* 8:15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland.....	* 9:30 pm	*12:30 pm
Chicago Limited.....	* 8:15 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler	* 7:35 am	† 7:55 am
Butler, Foxburg.....	† 7:35 am	† 5:25 pm
Butler, Greenville & Erie	† 7:35 am	† 7:20 pm
Butler, Greenville & Erie	*10:45 am	† 7:55 am
Butler, Greenville & Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler, Clarion & Greenvill.	†3:15 pm	†10:40 am
Ellwood, N. Cast., Butler	† 5:30 pm	* 9:40 am
Butler	† 6:15 pm	* 5:25 pm
Butler	*11:30 pm	* 7:20 pm

*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday. ‡Saturday only.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R. CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in effect November 28, 1902.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chic. & Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	*11:15 am
Youngst'n & Cleveld Mail	* 8:25 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express...	* 8:25 am	† 9:55 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12:30 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express ..	† 5:20 pm	* 6:05 am
Cleveland & Chicago Ex..	* 2:30 pm	* 1:00 pm
Boston Special	* 4:20 pm	* 6:05 am
Chic. & Cleveland "Flyer"	* 8:00 pm	*11:15 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex...	*10:30 pm	* 6:05 am
Cl'and & Youngs'n Accom.	† 5:25 am	† 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Accom.....	† 6:30 am	† 8:25 am
Beaver Falls Accom.....	† 9:00 am	† 4:50 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.....	†12:10 pm	† 9:50 am
Beaver Falls Accom.....	† 3:30 pm	†12:30 pm
New Castle Express.....	† 4:20 pm	† 7:20 am
Beaver Valley Express...	† 5:25 pm	† 4:15 pm
Payette City Accom.....	† 6:10 am	† 7:20 am
Payette C. & N. Haven Ex	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City.	*11:50 am	*12:40 pm
Fayette City & N. Haven	† 3:30 pm	† 4:20 pm
Fayette City Express....	* 5:20 pm	* 5:40 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, 45:25 a. m., †10:15 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday.

§Note—6:00 p. m. train on Sundays to Youngstown only.

City ticket office, 357 Fifth ave., Park Bldg.

J. B. YOHE, Gen. Supt. L. A. ROBISON, Gen. Pass. Agent.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Schedule in effect Nov. 23, 1902. Trains leave P. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard time). For Erie, Girard, Conneaut, O., and Meadville, 7:25 a. m., and 1:15 p. m.; Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Keister, 7:25 a. m., 1:15 p. m. and 3:15 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday.

E. D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

Chicago and Cincinnati....	* 1:10 am	* 1:45 am
Indianapolis and St. Louis.	* 1:10 am	* 1:45 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago....	* 1:15 am	* 1:40 am
Tiffin and Toledo.....	* 1:15 am	* 1:40 am
Indianapolis and St. Louis.	* 4:50 am	* 5:30 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati..	* 4:50 am	*10:15 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire....	† 6:20 am	† 8:35 am
Wellsville and Bellaire....	† 5:20 am	† 7:10 pm
Alliance and Cleveland....	† 5:30 am	† 7:10 pm
Alliance and Wooster....	† 8:50 am	†11:30 pm
Jamestown & Youngstown.	† 6:30 am	† 1:29 pm
Ohio Valley Express.....	† 6:45 am	† 8:35 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago....	† 7:00 am	† 5:30 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago....	† 1:30 pm	† 5:30 am
Tiffin and Toledo.....	† 7:00 am	† 5:30 pm
Wellsville and Wheeling..	† 7:30 am	† 4:55 pm
East Liverpool & Bellaire.	† 7:30 am	† 7:10 pm
Cleveland Fast Line.....	* 8:00 am	* 5:30 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati..	* 8:00 am	* 7:40 pm
Erie, Mercer and Oil City.	† 8:05 am	†10:35 am
New Castle and Jamestown	† 8:05 am	† 5:30 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	† 8:05 am	† 5:30 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	† 8:05 am	†10:35 am
Columbus and Chicago....	*12:25 pm	* 3:30 pm
Youngstown & Jamestown.	†12:40 pm	† 8:30 am
New Castle and Ashtabula	†2:40 pm	† 5:30 pm
Alliance and Cleveland....	† 1:25 pm	† 7:20 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire....	† 1:25 pm	† 7:20 pm
Alliance and Crestline....	* 1:35 pm	*12:50 pm
New Castle and Erie.....	† 4:55 pm	† 8:30 pm
Youngstown and Erie.....	† 4:55 pm	† 5:30 pm
Mercer and Oil City.....	† 4:55 pm	† 8:30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire....	† 4:50 pm	† 7:10 pm
Cleveland Special	* 5:00 pm	*11:30 am
Wellsville and Bellaire....	† 5:10 pm	† 9:10 am
New Castle and Jamestown	† 5:40 pm	† 9:05 am
Chicago Special	* 6:30 pm	* 7:45 am
Chicago Limited	* 8:15 pm	* 6:00 am
Columbus and Cincinnati..	* 8:15 pm	* 5:35 am
Indianapolis and St. Louis.	* 8:15 pm	* 6:20 am
Indianap., Louisv., St. L..	* 8:15 pm	* 6:20 am
Toledo and Detroit.....	* 8:15 pm	* 5:30 am
Penna. Special (Chicago)..	*10:10 pm	*10:20 am
Beaver Falls & Castle....	†10:20 pm	† 8:30 am
Alliance and Cleveland....	*11:00 pm	* 5:40 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., †6:00 am, †7:30 am, 9:00 am, †9:45 am, 11:40 pm, †3:10 pm, †4:10 pm, †5:15 pm, †5:30 pm, †6:30 pm, †10:30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, †8:00 am, †7:30, †11:50 am, †2:45 pm, *6:15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, †5:40 am, †8:25 am, †2:55 pm, †4:15 pm, †6:55 pm, †11:35 pm.

Leave for Dennison, †5:40 am, †2:55 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †2:35 pm.

‡Every day. †Week days only. §Sundays only.

Time tables, tickets and sleeping car space may be obtained at 360 Fifth avenue, corner Smithfield street; at Union station, Pittsburgh, and at Fort Wayne station, Allegheny.

G. L. PECK, General Manager. E. A. FORD, General Pass'r Agt.

BINDLEY HARDWARE CO.

SEVENTH AVE. & GRANT ST.

PITTSBURGH.

EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

From Union Station, Pittsburgh.

In effect October 5, 1902. Eastern Standard Time.

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE and WASHINGTON.

Atlantic Express, daily.....	3:00 a. m.
Pennsylvania Limited, daily.....	7:15 a. m.
Day Express, daily	7:30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily.....	8:00 a. m.
Harrisburg Mail, daily	12:45 p. m.
Harrisburg Express, daily	4:40 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily	4:50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily	7:10 p. m.
Fast Line, daily.....	9:00 p. m.
"Pittsburgh Limited," daily, for New York, Baltimore and Washington only	10:00 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Special, daily, for Philadelphia and New York	11:25 p. m.
Philadelphia Mail, Sundays only..	8:40 a. m.
For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9 a. m. and 10:45 p. m. daily.	
For Oil City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 and 10:45 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m.	
For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m.	
For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week-days.	
For DuBois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.	
For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. daily.	
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 6:15, 8:25 a. m., 12:45 and 4:25 p. m. week-days.	
For West Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:25 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. week-days. For Belle Vernon and West Brownsville, 6:05, 8:00, 10:25 a. m., 4:20, 6:25 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 8:55 a. m., 1:05, 5:00 and 9:50 p. m.	
For West Elizabeth, Dravosburg and Monongahela City, 6:05, 8:00, 10:25 a. m., 1:05, 4:20, 6:25 and 11:35 p. m. week-days. Sundays 8:55 a. m., 1:05, 5:00 and 9:50 p. m.	
West Elizabeth and Dravosburg only, 3:20 p. m. week-days.	

FROM ALLEGHENY CITY.

For Butler, 6:33, 8:23, 10:33 a. m., 3:03 and 6:12 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:05 a. m., 9:33 p. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket offices—No. 360 Fifth avenue, corner Fourth avenue and Try street, and Union station.

J. B. HUTCHINSON, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen'l Pass'r Agent.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Department of Public Works, City of Allegheny, Dec. 1, 1902.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city comptroller until 2:45 p. m., on Thursday, December 11, 1902, for doing the following work:

For the construction and erection of the superstructure of a bridge in Shady avenue, Eleventh ward, over Woods run valley.

For the paving of the roadway and sidewalks of a bridge in Shady avenue, Eleventh ward, over Woods run valley.

The above three items are to be let separately.

For the grading of Viola street, Tenth and Fifteenth wards, from Milroy avenue to Watson boulevard.

For the construction of a lateral sewer in Buena Vista street, from Garrison street about 200 feet to connect with the present sewer in Buena Vista street.

For the construction of a lateral sewer in an unnamed ten (10) foot alley, Fifteenth ward, from Woods Run avenue to Langtry street.

Specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the bureau of engineering and surveys.

For the purchase of all scrap material in this department, consisting of the following: Wrought and cast iron, old brass, copper wire and gum.

All information can be obtained at this office.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond, with two sureties probated before the city comptroller or the bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds, for city contracts, bonds to be in the sum of one-half the estimated cost of said work.

The city recorder and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the city recorder at 3 o'clock p. m. on Thursday, December 11, 1902.

JOHN R. MURPHY, City Recorder.

D. L. FULTON, Director of the Department of Public Works.

MANUFACTURERS.

Eureka Harness Oil is the best preservative of new leather and the best renovator of old leather. It oils, softens, blacks and protects. Use

Eureka Harness Oil

on your best harness, your old harness, and your carriage top, and they will not only look better but wear longer. Sold everywhere in cans—all sizes from half pints to five gallons. Made by STANDARD OIL CO.

ESTABLISHED 1865.

OLIVER Iron & Steel Company,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Soft Welding Steel and Iron, Bolts for Railways, Wagons and Agricultural Implements, Telegraph and Telephone Pole Supplies.

General offices at SOUTH SIXTH STREET WORKS, PITTSBURGH.

CELEBRATED ITS FIFTIETH YEAR

Congregation of Christ M. E. Church Observes Golden Jubilee.

DR. RAYMOND PREACHED

Head of Wesleyan, the Great Methodist University, Was Speaker of Day—History of Church.

Fifty years of progressive Methodism, as exemplified in the building up of the Christ Methodist church, Center and Liberty avenues, East End, was commemorated yesterday at two elaborate services. A full vested augmented choir furnished high-class religious music. The Rev. Dr. Bradford Paul Raymond, president of Wesleyan university of Middletown, Conn., preached the morning sermon and the Rev. Charles W. Smith, editor of the Pittsburgh Christian Advocate, the local organ of Methodism, occupied the pulpit in the evening. The Rev. Edwin Alonzo Blake, pastor of the church, had charge of the services.

Handsome souvenirs of the golden anniversary were in every pew and contained a resume of the church's history. Christ church was organized November 30, 1852, and some of the foremost Pittsburghers of the time were trustees. The charter of the church was not obtained until January of the next year. At the meeting of the board five lots on the corner of Penn avenue and Hancock (now Eighth) street were provided for. The church was built on that site and dedicated in March, 1855.

Church Was Divided.

The original building was entirely destroyed by fire in May, 1891, and the members proceeded at once to arrange for a new structure. The business district had surrounded the site to such an extent that it was apparent it could not be used for the new structure. The Rev. G. W. Izer, who was pastor of the church at that time, with the trustees, obtained the use of the Duquesne theater in Penn avenue and for nearly a year services were held there. It was finally decided that the organization should be split, as one-half lived in Allegheny and the other half in Pittsburgh. As the result of this determination two beautiful structures, Christ church, Liberty and Center avenues, East End, and Calvary church, Allegheny avenue, Allegheny, were erected. The congregation of Christ church held services in a frame structure they had erected at Baum and Rebecca streets while their new church was being built. The corner stones of the twin churches were laid on the same day, May 18, 1893. Christ was dedicated at its present site in January, 1895.

Is Working Congregation.

The church has been a working church ever since and in addition to the erection of one of the handsomest church buildings in Pittsburgh, the members contributed largely to a fund by which the Pacific Avenue church was built and is now self-supporting.

The anniversary services yesterday morning opened with an organ prelude, followed by responsive reading. The choir rendered Sullivan's "Lost Chord." The Rev. Blake spoke a few appropriate words in regard to the church's history, maintenance and the increasing membership. Dr. Raymond was introduced and he preached a sermon on "The Old Family Faith." He said in part:

All through the epistles of Paul we find reference to God. This reference recurs so often that it is marked. Paul, as we know, was an intensely religious man. Even when Saul of Tarsus he displayed considerable religious zeal, but not of the proper sort. This he adopted later. And what caused Paul to adopt Christianity and bear so patiently the burdens that the assumption of that religion thrust upon him?

Something happened to Paul when on the road to Damascus, that caused the entire channel of his life to change. God spoke to him in person out of the clouds. Paul heard God and heeded what He said. From then on he was a faithful and active Christian. His motto was to be up and doing, ever laboring for the cause. In this Paul showed that he was a Methodist. John Wesley, the father of this religion and Paul of Tarsus were very much alike.

John Wesley Like Paul.

Some years ago I was in London and happened to be in a second hand book store. There I ran across a history of the Moravians. I knew that John Wesley and his brother Charles had had some dealings with these people, but I, like many other Methodists, was not sure what had taken place. I bought the book and perused it carefully and found many references to John Wesley, and although the book was a translation from a Moravian writer it spoke of Wesley in the highest terms.

The book showed John Wesley as a man of action, much after the manner of Paul. Wesley himself said once in regard to Methodism, "this is not a religion of opinions, this is a religion of facts and work." The old family faith is the symbol of Methodism, always on the move, always working with one end in view—Heaven.

At the conclusion of the morning service the congregation sang a hymn written by Dr. Blake in commemoration of the event. It was called "Our Golden Jubilee." The Rev. E. M. Wood, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church, pronounced the benediction.

As at the morning service, music was a prominent feature of the evening service. The Rev. Mr. Smith preached an interesting sermon on "Early Methodism in Pittsburgh," and gave some valuable and important statistics of the progress Methodism has made in this city.

RELIGIOUS BRIEFS.

—A branch of the Holy Name society was organized in St. Mary Magdalen's Catholic church, Homestead, yesterday, with a membership of nearly 200.

—The Rev. J. J. McIlyar, conference evangelist of the Methodist Episcopal church, commenced a series of meetings in the Munhall Methodist Episcopal church yesterday morning.

—The largest congregation that ever attended the Homestead Jewish synagogue, in Ammon street, Homestead, yesterday afternoon heard the Rev. A. Freed of the Tree of Life synagogue of Pittsburgh address the congregation.

—The annual "thank offering" of the Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church of Braddock was held in the church last evening. The Rev. Dr. W. S. Fulton of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church delivered an interesting address on missions, and a large sum was collected.

—Special collections will be taken up in the various Swedish churches of Braddock, Sunday, December 14, for the needy poor in Sweden. Letters received from Sweden by the Rev. Paul Ovenll, pastor of the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church of Braddock, tell of the failure of the harvest and that many are in great need.

—The congregation of the United Presbyterian church of East McKeesport held services in the basement of the new church building on Broadway yesterday. The new structure replaces the one destroyed by fire the day it was dedicated last spring. The building is now under roof and will be completed early in February.

Tickets to Chicago For Live Stock Show

will be sold at special rates via Pennsylvania lines, November 29 and December 1, 2 and 3. The low rate applies from Pittsburgh and other ticket stations on the Pennsylvania lines. Full information furnished upon application to passenger and ticket agents of the Pennsylvania lines.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

EXPERIENCE OF AGE VALUABLE TO WORLD

Rabbi Levy Continues His Lectures by Showing Gray Hairs Bring Wisdom.

The Rev. J. Leonard Levy of Reformed congregation Rodeph Shalom delivered a lecture in the temple yesterday morning on "Age and Its Realities." This was a companion lecture to the one Dr. Levy delivered a week ago, entitled "Youth and Its Visions." Dr. Levy said in part:

Nature is perfectly balanced, its poise is complete and the law of compensation is everywhere made manifest. Thus childhood is offset by manhood; spring by autumn, youth by old age. The great characteristic of old age is its conservatism, and not without the most beneficial result to society has this tendency been displayed. If youth is the dynamic force, old age is the static. If youth is all impulse, old age is full of counsel. If youth is progressive, old age is corrective. In times of antiquity the guardians of the people and the conservators of their rights were the senators, or old men, and to this day there is a sympathy between white and wise most clearly brought out in the German weiss and weh.

Old age is the autumn of life. It is the period in which we should gather the sheaves which have grown from its spring's sowing, and it comes to us to the utmost fraction with the fullest measure of the seed broadcast in our youth. If in old age we are to clasp realities, we must in youth decide what reality is. If as our fingers pass through the accumulations made by a busy life, we are to come in contact with the real things, we must decide early in life what the real is.

While this is not the place nor the occasion to elaborate a purely philosophical thesis, I, nevertheless, desire to assure you that which most people call real is nothingness, and that, which many regard as nothing, has in it the only elements of reality.

If we set our hearts when young on fame, place, reputation, wealth, and after having gained all these, our hearts remain cold and our lives are unlovely, we have none to blame but ourselves for our false view of reality. To me that alone is real which is ideal, that alone is real which is incapable of destruction, that alone is real which is permanent and enduring, and these ideals should be striven after and are worthy of our devotion, since they forever abide and cannot be fretted by the moth of decay.

Old age is valuable to society for its counsel and wisdom, for its breadth of sympathy and depth of feeling, for its wide forethought and deep insight. There is no teacher like experience, and old age has had the experience.

PLAIN PROPOSITION FOR PRATICAL WORK

Wilkinsburg Pastor Tells How Much-Needed New Church Can Be Built.

"Let us arise and build" was the text of a discourse by the Rev. John M. Moore, pastor of the First Baptist church, Wilkinsburg, yesterday. In calling attention to the need of a larger building the pastor said in part:

God has greatly blessed us as a people. Since April 1, 1897, 345 new members have been added. The financial and spiritual work has kept pace with the growth in numbers. A mortgage of $2,700 has been paid, more than $10,000 has been raised for other home expenses and more than $6,000 contributed for missions and benevolences. Either a large and better equipped building must take the place of the present structure or we will have the sorrow of seeing a good work for the Lord hindered.

The Rev. Dr. Moore expressed himself confidently that such a church as this had proven itself, would not allow such a thing to occur, and then presented the following "Plain Proposition for Practical People:"

An average increase of 10 cents per member over what was raised for current expenses and mortgage last year, will provide enough money to pay for a large, handsome church in five years. Let there be such an increase at once. This is practical and scriptural. We repudiate all bartering by the church of God in fairs, festivals and bazars to coax money out of the pockets of the men of the world to carry on the work of the Kingdom of God. We do not have any rich man or men to build a house for us. We must do it ourselves. This will be possible only as we all help a little, week by week.

TO NON-CHURCH GOERS.

The Rev. G. E. Hawes of Braddock Preaches Fourth Sermon in Series.

Last night at the Braddock United Presbyterian church the Rev. G. E. Hawes preached the fourth sermon in his course to non-church goers. He said:

There are some questions with which one at this stage of his search after truth has nothing to do. Many think they should occupy themselves with the solution of the weighty matters of the law and the knotty problems of theology. They should not. First things first is the wiser way.

We do not set our children in the primary department of public schools to measuring the distance between the stars, or weighing the planets. We keep those question for advanced scholars. The child masters the alphabet. It is just as absurd for one to spend his time on foreordination and free agency when the question is what must I do then with Jesus. There are some questions which common sense rules out.

Should every Christian be in the church? He should. There is no excuse for any person staying out today, when there are all possible shades of belief. Find something which approximates most closely your views and get into the organization at once. You owe it to yourself, to the church.

LOVE FOR MONEY IS ROOT OF EVIL

The Rev. Alonzo J. Turkle Decries Love of Gain, Without Good Purpose.

HAS LED TO MUCH GOOD

Has Been Inspiration of Inventors and Made America Nation of Workers, but We Should Guard Against Selfishness.

The Rev. Alonzo J. Turkle, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church, Allegheny, preached a sermon yesterday morning on "The Craze for Money." His text was taken from First Timothy, vi:10: "The love of money is the root of all evil; which, while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith and pierced themselves through with many sorrows." Mr. Turkle said in part:

The greed of gain flows in the very blood of the American people. There are few paths of life that do not lead to a desire to be rich. That such an all-absorbing influence should cause men to depart from the faith, as Paul represents it, is not at all surprising; the wonder is that this maddening rush for money does not root out every heavenward aspiration.

It was this benumbing of spiritual influence, against which Paul raised his warning. Such warnings are not out of place now. The love of money lies deeper in men's hearts, and is a more fruitful root of evil in the twentieth, than in the first century.

The desire for riches has led to some good results. It has led to much of the progress in all departments of human activity. The desire for gain has led men to work out most of the useful inventions. It has moved men to conquer the earth. Its effect upon those engaged in getting money has made us a nation of workers, not idlers. All life is eager, active, few despairing of rising in the world, and fewer still content with the fortune to which they have already risen.

The love of money develops selfishness. The man who has come to love money is likely to let it control his every relation of life. He is in danger of carrying into it all phases of life and of valuing men and policies and principles, according to the advantage that may accrue from his connection with them. Men have plunged forward in the strife until they have loaded themselves down with burdens and anxieties. They have pierced themselves through with many sorrows and have erred from the faith. How many crazed with the desire for riches find themselves physical wrecks before their time?

If men would moderate their desires for money and bend their energies to the culture of their minds and the development of their souls they would live longer and more vigorous lives, as well as happier ones.

TOO MANY NAMES.

The Rev. W. J. Russell Says Christian Denominations Should Unite.

At the East End Christian church the Rev. William J. Russell, the pastor, preached a sermon last night on "Names for the Children of God." He said in part:

There is an old trite aphorism which says, "There is nothing in a name." And yet there is a most potent influence in names. Let any one enter a church that wears a different name, and announce himself by his denominational name, and if recognition be accorded him it will be formal rather than fraternal. There are pulpits from which I am practically excluded, but into which I would be cordially invited with the very message I now deliver, if only I would assume their party name. There are churches from whose communion table I am excluded, but to which I would receive a fraternal welcome should I simply assume their denominational name. These facts show something of what is in a name, and how human names perpetuate party spirit.

It would be of great advantage to the cause of Christ if all human names would give way to the divine names—to the names given by the Holy Spirit for the children of God. Dr. Conway of Philadelphia says: "I would not surrender my denominational name (Baptist) for the world; no, not for the world; but for Christ's sake I would gladly surrender it." That is the spirit that will bring about the union of a divided Christendom, and help answer the Master's prayer that his followers might be one, even as He and the Father were one.

FOUR GRACES OF MEN.

Are Named as Self-Knowledge, Self-Confidence, Self-Reliance and Self-Control.

The Rev. A. C. Dieffenbach preached a sermon on "The Art of Surpassing Ourselves" in the Reformed Church of the Ascension, Allegheny, yesterday morning. He said in part:

The four graces that minister to the art of surpassing ourselves are self-knowledge, self-confidence, self-reliance and self-control.

Confidence in one's self is the springtime joy of the soul, who sees the finger of God in the achievement of man. In its best sense, self-confidence when it makes good its promises becomes self-reliance.

The greatest of the graces is self-control. The greatest ruler is he who rules with wisdom over himself, and this means that day by day we are competing, not with our brothers, but with ourselves to make our work, our characters, our lives, truer, nobler, surpassing the achievements of the days that are gone.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH IS RECONSECRATED

Grand Old Gothic Structure Rebuilt on New Site in Oakland.

With the impressive service of the Protestant Episcopal church, St. Peter's, rebuilt and rejuvenated, was consecrated yesterday afternoon by the Rt. Rev. Cortland Whitehead, bishop of the diocese of Pittsburgh. The same old church, which since 1857 had stood at Grant and Diamond streets, transplanted to Forbes street and Craft avenue, and restored to its old-time Gothic splendor, made a profound impression upon each member of the congregation.

The only change noticeable was the increased depth of the chancel, which has been extended 11 feet, and the removal of the organ from the front to the inside of the chancel.

After an anthem from the organ the surpliced choir marched from the vestry room to their places in the church and soon afterward from the rear of the church, chanting as they passed down the main aisle, came the rectors of the various churches of this vicinity.

Following came the vestrymen, who presented the church, free from all debt, to the Episcopal diocese. The articles of acceptance were read by the rector, the Rev. E. H. Ward, and then Bishop Whitehead performed the ceremony of consecration. Assisting him were the Rev. E. H. Ward, the Rev. R. W. Grange of the Church of the Ascension, and the Rev. Amos Banister of Beaver Falls.

The creed and prayers were given by the Rev. Robert J. Coster. The sermon of consecration was delivered by the Rev. John C. White of St. Andrew's, who referred to the close feeling that exists between St. Peter's and St. Andrew's. He said that it was fitting that consecration should fall on St. Andrew's Day. He took as his text "And the Glory of the Latter House Shall Be Greater Than That of the Former," a Biblical quotation.

After the sermon a class of 30 from the church was confirmed by the bishop, as were also three from St. Margaret's Mission for Deaf Mutes. These were presented by the Rev. A. W. Mann, who interpreted the service in the sign language.

Among the rectors present at the ceremony were the Rev. L. F. Cole, archdeacon of the diocese; the Rev. E. H. Young of St. Andrew's, the Rev. George Gunnel of Bellevue, the Rev. C. H. Thompson, the Rev. David L. Ferris of Calvary, the Rev. T. J. Danner of St. John's the Rev. A. Alexander and the Rev. C. E. Bryan of St. James'.

St. Peter's church was torn down to make room for the Frick building, and as it is one of the finest examples of Gothic architecture in the country, every stone and part of the church was carefully removed and marked, and placed in its identical position on the new site, where it shows to better advantage. The stone has been redressed and this gives it a new appearance, but otherwise the church is the same as the downtown structure, with the adition of a vestibule at the front entrance.

NO TIME IS NOT A GOOD EXCUSE TO GIVE

Rev. A. D. Mink Says Busy Pittsburgh Must Turn from Material Things.

"No Time," was the subject of a sermon preached by the Rev. Dr. Arthur D. Mink in the Emory Methodist Episcopal church last night. His text was, "I pray thee have Me excused." The sermon was one to busy people, and Mr. Mink said in part:

Christ lives today through His teachings. He describes three men who give their excuses, but the real cause which underlies them is "no time." And this is what men still say. But it is dishonest; the busiest men have really the most time. In the midst of the rush they are not disturbed by another business engagement. And it is an ungrateful excuse. All the time that man has is from God. He keeps the clock running and men build bridges, and erect buildings.

It all is from God, a part should be given Him. To say "no time" is disastrous, for it ignores the higher and immortal part of his nature. It cares for the body and the mind, but gives no thought to the soul. The time comes when we see that the time best spent is that which we devote to seeking God. Perhaps Pittsburgh is as busy a place as is under the sun, but it, too, must turn from these material things and seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness.

Big Crowd at Stock Show.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—If the number of people who visited the International Live Stock exposition today may be taken as a criterion, the attendance this year will exceed that of last year by fully 100,000 persons. Notwithstanding that today was Sunday, 20,000 people of Chicago and vicinity passed through the gates.

PREACHES UPON THE DOUKHOBORS

The Rev. W. A. Stanton Tells of Strange Sect and Their Wild Search.

LOOKING FOR CHRIST

Without Provisions or Clothing and Leaving Good Homes, They Are Following Quest as Vain as That for Holy Grail.

The Rev. W. A. Stanton, pastor of the Shady Avenue Baptist church, preached last night on "The Doukhobors, a Twentieth Century Quest for the Holy Grail." Mr. Stanton said in part:

The Doukhobors are a religious Russian sect. In 1898 a ship load of them were brought to Canada, they settled in the far western part, near Yorktown, in Assiniboia. There were about 2,000 on that ship. Since then others have come, and now there are between 4,000 and 5,000 of them in Canada. They had been harshly treated by the Russian government, and our Canadian neighbors thought they would eventually make intelligent and valuable citizens.

Some peculiarities that mark the Doukhobors are these; they practice non-resistance, refuse to recognize civil government, believe themselves directly and specially inspired by the holy spirit, and refuse to eat anything that has had animal life in it.

Their religion is a sort of mixture of Greek Catholicism and Tolstoyism. The men are the great church-goers and they are an intensely religious sect. Their worshipping consists largely in singing a weird, wild chant that is much like the ding of the ignorant South African tribes.

Several missionaries from Russia have been among them holding revival services, and about 1,500 of them set out on a pilgrimage to find Christ. From Swan River colony they marched 100 miles to Yorktown, on the way looking everywhere for Christ, even overturning large stones with the thought that each stone might be Christ's sepulchre. They set their horses loose before starting, claiming that they had no right to use dumb brutes on such a mission against their will. The Canadian government has secured some $20,000 worth of these animals.

While on the quest for Christ these men and women and children have suffered untold hardships. They are ill clothed and very poorly fed. They made no provision for their journey, but left on the spur of the moment, taking practically nothing with them. They can speak but little English, but say plainly that they are "looking for Christ." Their faith is blind and a mystery. There are hundreds of them on this fanatic search, and many more are leaving each week. Soon the entire colony will be dispersed and all will be reduced to poor and homeless, in a wild search for Christ.

This twentieth century quest is much like that for the Holy Grail in past ages. According to the legend the grail or cup was brought to Britain by Joseph of Arimathea, and was said to possess some magic healing power. All one had to do was to find and touch the grail and he would be made whole. The legend runs that only men of purity could hope to secure the coveted cup. Only the best of the knights could search for it. But it was never found, although many spent their lives looking for it.

There is a lesson in the sublime faith of the Doukhobors that we might well heed. They are searching for Christ in their ignorant way, but their end is the same as ours. We all hope to attain God. Would that we all would go about it as earnestly as do these people.

PREACHERS PROPERLY PREPARED ARE STRONG

With Philip as an Example Deeper Consecration and Greater Results Would Follow.

At the Observatory Hill Christian church yesterday morning the pastor, the Rev. John A. Jayne, preached upon the theme, "Philip and the Eunuch." He said in part:

"The story of the conversion of the Ethiopian eunuch is one of the many instances of the power of the gospel in New Testament times. In this story there are four great thoughts: 1. The Preacher and his preparation. 2. The audience and its attitude. 3. The sermon and its subject. 4. The results and their rewards."

Emphasizing especially the preparation of the preacher, Mr. Jayne said:

Philip was a man full of wisdom, honor and truth; this is evidenced in the fact that he was chosen to be one of the deacons in the old church at Jerusalem. He was a man with an intense enthusiasm for humanity. His heart power was equal to his intellectuality. He was courteous, without being a sychophant. He was buoyant in faith, without being boisterous, or boyish. He had been trained in the lore of the Old Testament. With a heart full of zeal for his Master he was willing to go anywhere with the message wonderful. He was a graduate of no college, save the college of common sense, and had attended no theological seminary, save the seminary of desire to serve his Master. Possessed of a willing, obedient, courteous spirit, he tarried not upon the order of going, but went at once into the work pointed out for him. It is no wonder then, that full of spirit like this, that not only the eunuch, but also many Samaritans were converted.

TO DEDICATE FIVE BUILDINGS.

Elaborate Program Arranged at Wooster University.

WOOSTER, O., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Wooster university will experience one of the most important events of its history on December 11, when the new buildings of that institution will be dedicated. The date will be the first anniversary of the destruction by fire of the university buildings, which have been replaced by five magnificent structures through the energy of the faculty and friends of the institution.

An elaborate program has been arranged for the dedication and many of the leading educators of the country will participate.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O,

a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10 cts.

The Christmas Cards

And Calendars are on show—
Most artistic productions we have ever had—
Novelties that it has taken a year to produce—and that can't be duplicated later in the season—
that's why we say—make your selections early—
The Christmas books are here now—Beautiful effects for Christmas giving—
J. R. WELDIN & CO.
429-431 WOOD ST.

AMERICAN BUSINESS MEN ARE HONORABLE

The Rev. John H. Prugh Says They Carry Christian Principles Into Trade.

In the Grace Reformed church last night, the Rev. John H. Prugh preached a sermon on "The Christian Religion and Twentieth Century Business Principles." Dr. Prugh said in part:

Religion has to do with God. Sometimes it is said "Christ is the Christian religion." And He lived a life in close communion with God, and a brotherly life with men. To love God and one's neighbor, was his summary of the commandments. There is no conflict between the Christian religion and the business principle of the great majority of the splendid men who are making this nation famous for its commercialism.

For 23 years the large majority of the men of this congregation have been clerks and laborers, merchants and manufacturers. During all that time, I have, as pastor, been going in and out of their factories, counting rooms and stores and have constantly been in touch with the men who have helped to give Pittsburgh its place of commercial prominence. And I am sure there are no more conscientious men anywhere than these honorable men who are endeavoring to live their Christian principles down in the marts of business.

In the fierce competitions of today, great temptations come to business men to misrepresentation and other dishonesties and to selfishness. But they are no greater temptations than come to men in other walks of life. Competition is not, in itself, anti-Christian, though therein lies tremendous dangers. But the great host of Christian business men who succeed, do so while at the same time maintaining their Christian integrity.

Boy's Death Was Accidental.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—An inquest was held last night on the death of Harry King, the 14-year-old son of ex-Sheriff Clarence M. King. The King boy was about to enter his home on Thanksgiving when James Hines, who was passing with a rifle asked the King boy if he would give him leave to shoot at him. The latter consented and the other boy fired. The jury decided that the shooting was accidental, young Hines not knowing that the gun was loaded.

To Operate Rod Mill.

MONESSEN, PA., Nov. 30.—The new rod mill of the Pittsburgh Steel Company will be put in operation Wednesday, increasing the number of employes to 900. This department will be run in single turn for two weeks, when double turn will be put on. Supt. George says he expects to have 1,000 men at work before January 1.

MAKING A BIG STORE READY FOR CHRISTMAS

Some of the Transformations That Occur in December.

When you go to Campbell's this week to see the holiday goods, you'll be puzzled to account for the unfamiliar look and will wonder if you have gotten into the wrong store. The first case in front is filled with fine stationery in lovely boxes, while the top of the jewelry case is covered with dainty mantel clocks, candlesticks, etc. All down the main aisle will be seen new things—albums, pyrographic work, fancy boxes, silverware, toilet sets and a great array of handkerchiefs. A colony of dolls have moved into the book counter, the books stretch on three-story tables all the way from the midway elevator to the rear of the store, while downstairs the house furnishings have disappeared altogether and toys and games hold the field. On the second floor are groups of fine china, bric-a-brac, cut glass, statuettes, steins, etc. And so it is all through "The People's Store"—every department in holiday array, with lots of additional salespeople eager to assist customers in making selections.

Women's Furs.

It's well to remember that all is not fur that's fuzzy.

The production of a perfect fur garment begins with the buying of the skins—
If the skins aren't right the finished garment won't be right—even though it may look a perfect beauty in the show case—
We have had years of experience in selecting skins—
We have the most expert workmen that can be found—
And when we tell you that a piece of fur is right, you can depend upon it absolutely—
The winter stock has everything that is beautiful in it—from the plain little collars and scarfs to the elaborately trimmed seal and Baby lamb coats.
You are cordially invited to come and see the display of pretty things at any time.

We are making a special exhibit of horse show millinery this week—
Splendid white effects that attracted so much attention in New York a week ago.

J. G. BENNETT & CO.,
WOOD AND FIFTH.

A PERFECT FITTING SUIT AT A POPULAR PRICE.

A Dickson Suit always fits—always feels comfortable and has that distinctive appearance that is so appreciated by particular men—Prices very reasonable. See the new goods.

DICKSON, The TAILOR,
420 Wood St.

We are more careful about children's shoes than most people—more careful about the fit—more critical as to quality—

C. A. VERNER,
FIFTH AND MARKET.

The Coming of Christmas

Makes it necessary to fix up the home, for the holiday gatherings—
As well as to lay in a store of remembrances for the loved ones—
Our Fifth Avenue Windows are full of suggestions along both lines—

Lace Curtains—Any price and kind your heart can desire from the cheapest up—
Ready-Made Portieres—plain, bordered and embroidered effects—
Draught and Fire Screens in a variety of artistic styles—
Sofa Pillows in almost endless variety—
Framed Tapestry Panels, suitable for hall, library or dining room—
Dutch Tiles—framed—some very quaint effects—

The Art rooms on the second floor are especially interesting at this season—

Oliver McClintock Co.,
219 Fifth Ave.

WHEAT—Rich in Phosphates for the brain; Nitrates for the muscle; Carbonates for heat.
MALT—The life of grain; nature's tonic; digestive invigorator.

Malta-Vita

—"The Perfect Food."

Wheat and Malt Combined.
Thoroughly cooked, ready to eat.
Delicious with Warm Milk or Cream.
The ideal food for old or young, sick or well.
ALL GROCERS.

Fur Weather Here at Last

And the weather man tells us there is plenty more of it ahead—
Couldn't happen at a better time for us—Stock is complete in every line and includes some of the finest furs ever brought to Pittsburgh—
That's a point we want to impress upon you—
We have been selling furs here for 67 years—in some instances outfitting members of four generations—and we have never sold a garment that wasn't fully up to the standard.

The new stock includes handsome Persian Jackets, Broadtail Jackets, Seal Skin Jackets, and hundreds of neck pieces from the very finest Russian Sable to the inexpensive, but thoroughly reliable, pieces at $5—

Prices are always reasonable and a Paulson trademark is a guarantee of quality—

Paulson Bros. Co.
441 Wood St.

TRYING TO PREVENT A RUNAWAY MATCH

Leslie Thurston and Maggie Bell Left Note Telling of Their Elopement.

The Pittsburgh police were requested last night to send a telegram to Philadelphia to intercept a pair of elopers who left for that city at 9 o'clock. They were Leslie Thurston, an engineer at the Westinghouse works at East Pittsburgh, and Maggie Bell, a student at the Curry college, whose parents live at 36 Lomond street.

The young couple had been at home all afternoon, and in the evening started out, saying they were going to church. They did not return in a reasonable time, and about 10 o'clock a messenger boy delivered a special delivery at the house containing a note written by Thurston. It said they had left on the 9 o'clock train for Philadelphia, where they would get a license and be married today, and that they would return home in a week and go to housekeeping at East Pittsburgh.

Miss Bell is 21 years old and would have graduated at her college next Thursday. Thurston is 22 years of age and is a stationary engineer. He came here from Cincinnati three months ago. As they are beyond the age of legal consent the police can do nothing in the matter.

PITTSBURGH NOW SECOND.

Lowell, Mass., Knights of Columbus Makes Larger Contribution.

LOWELL, MASS., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Treasurer Murphy of Lowell council, Knights of Columbus, forwarded today to Charles A. Webber of Brooklyn, N. Y., a check for $1,000 for the fund to establish a chair of secular history in the Catholic university in Washington, D. C.

This is the largest contribution by any council in the United States for that purpose. The next largest contribution was $708 60, by Duquesne council of Pittsburgh.

Despair is often the creature of a spirit drowned in care. To rise superior to it, physical strength is an important factor, and physical strength can be restored with Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge.

GREENE COUNTY PEOPLE HEAR SERMON BY 'PHONE

Long Distance Connection With Waynesburg Church Is Successful.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 30.—The First Christian congregation of Waynesburg has placed in the church a long distance telephone to enable parishioners who live in the country districts to hear the sermon without attending services in stormy weather. The telephone has been placed on the pulpit. An unusually large transmitter is in evidence, the telephone having been constructed for the, exact purpose to which it has been placed.

The telephone has been in operation for two weeks and has proved a great success. Many of the members of the First Christian church of Waynesburg live in the country and have telephones in their residences, and with the receivers at their ears are able to hear the sermon as it is preached by the pastor, the Rev. J. C. Cobb.

People who are close to a pay station have engaged the use of the line for several weeks ahead and it is probable that other churches in the Greene county capital will install a similar telephone service.

YEE SUN, AGED 12, MUST ATTEND SCHOOL OR GO BACK TO CHINA

Yee Sun, a Chinese boy, aged 12, refuses to attend school because the other pupils tease him. Yee was brought from China two years ago by his brother, a laundryman in Wilmerding, in order that he might receive an education in this country.

He started to school in Wilmerding and progressed so rapidly that he is now able to speak English fluently. As he grew larger, however, he was teased by the other pupils because he was still in the primary department. Unable to bear their jeers Yee ran away. He was located in McKeesport by his brother, who sent him back to school. He was again annoyed by his schoolmates and ran away once more, securing employment in the Westinghouse works. He was found in a stable by Officer McClelland and brought back, only to run away the third time.

The officer took a liking to the boy and urged him to go to school, but Yee Sun refused. He is industrious and wants to work, but the Wilmerding authorities say he will either obey the compulsory education law or return to China. The school board will meet tomorrow night to decide what shall be done.

A BANK ACCOUNT FOR CHRISTMAS.

Give the boy a start—Open a savings account for him and add to it regularly until he is able to take care of it himself—

You can't begin too early to teach him habits of thrift and economy.

This bank allows 4 per cent interest, compounded twice a year, on all savings deposits—$1 will start an account—and you can bank by mail—Send for booklet.

PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK
PITTSBURGH, PA.

It's natural for us to blow our own horn—that's why we keep saying

GAZETTE WANT COLUMNS

always do the work. If you want big returns

TRY THEM!

1c a word, each insertion, payable in advance.

THE RATE FOR Found, Personal and All Classified Advertisements in

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE IS ONE CENT A WORD when paid for in advance.

For the convenience of advertisers The Pittsburgh Gazette has established the following branch offices, where classified advertisements may be left at regular rates, 1c a word, each insertion, cash in advance. Advertisements left at any branch office will be telephoned to the main office, thus insuring prompt publication.

PITTSBURGH.

BRUSHTON AVE., 318—F. S. Welsser & Co.
BUTLER ST., 3400—David Lewis.
BUTLER ST., 3521—H. C. Knapp.
BUTLER ST., COR. 45D—R. D. Totten.
BUTLER ST., COR. 44TH—A. W. Cover.
BUTLER ST., 5109—Wm. Spilker.
CARVER ST., COR. PARK AVE.—R. B. McKelvey.
CENTER AVE., 1801—T. F. Moore.
CENTER AVE., 2101—C. F. Nourse.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, Main Office, 347-349 Fifth Ave.

WANTED.

Agents.

AGENT—EXPERIENCED MAN TO REPRESENT A LARGE WELL KNOWN HOUSE IN PITTSBURGH; TO THE RIGHT MAN AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY IS OFFERED; STATE EXPERIENCE; CORRESPONDENCE CONFIDENTIAL. ADDRESS O 47, THE GAZETTE.

AGENTS—"Never-Slip" Skirt supporter; 200 per cent profit; sells for 15c; sample and circular, 10c. Eich Mfg. Co., 702 N. Hamlin ave., Chicago, Ill.

Male Help.

BARBER—First-class young colored barber; must be sober, $6 per week and board; bring tools. Isaac Black, 315 Ninth st., Braddock, Pa.

BOOKKEEPERS, stenographers, clerks, city and traveling salesmen, shipper, collectors, hotel cheaper, draughtsmen, engineers, firemen, machinists, blacksmiths, carpenters, helpers, tinners, sashmakers, millwrights, coachmen, boatmen, porters, warehousemen, packers, cooks, waiters, omnibus, factory, farm and dairy hands furnished free to employers; men seeking employment call or write for information, 50 yea s in the business and established trade, with thousands of the largest firms, railroad offices, banks and others enables us to secure men to order daily; positions guaranteed. STAR BUREAU, THE KING OF THEM ALL, 120 SIXTH ST., opposite Alvin Theater.

BOOKKEEPER—Must be steady worker; give age, reference, salary, etc. Address M 41, The Gazette.

EIGHT youth, 14 to 16 years old, as office and errand boy; no packages to carry; fine opportunity to learn business and advance; Allegheny boy preferred. Write Box 1424, Pittsburgh.

COLLECTORS, salesmen, drivers, porters, helpers, men for factories, stores and warehouses. National, 405 Federal st., Allegheny.

MARRIED and single Germans, Polanders, Slavonic and Hungarian miners for Ohio and West Virginia; also 10 men to work in sinking shaft; $2 and $2.50 day; fare paid. Keystone Bureau, 1102 Penn ave.

MEN for U. S. army; able bodied unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 310 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED—A good patternmaker. Apply Pennsylvania Car Wheel Company, 499 Preble ave., Allegheny.

GIRL for general housework; two in family. 5420 Claybourne st., East End.

Female Help.

100 GIRLS to work in packing and icing department; good wages. Apply at office, Ward-Mackey Co., 3212 Liberty ave., city.

GIRL—For general housework. 1200 Allegheny ave.

LADY canvassers to sell a new article; splendid opportunity; liberal inducements. Address G 47, The Gazette.

Male and Female Help.

MALE and female help supplied. WALKER, 610 Duquesne way. Tel. 350.

Pupils.

DAY and night school for young and middle-aged men and women. Actual Business College, 310 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh. Big Five-and-Ten-Cent Store building. Call or write for catalogue.

Business Opportunities.

HARDWARE STORE—Within 100 miles of Pittsburgh; must invoice $5,000 to $15,000. Address

CHAS. DAVIS, P. O. box 995, Pittsburgh.

Rooms.

WANTED—By single gentleman, comfortable room with, or without board, near West park, Allegheny. Address A 47, The Gazette.

THREE or four connecting rooms for light housekeeping. C. F. Mathias, New Stanton, Pa.

Miscellaneous.

YOUNG man holding permanent position wishes to borrow $400 for one year. State terms. Address B 79, The Gazette.

CASH paid for old furniture and everything. 145 Frankstown ave.

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR RENT—Brick house, 4 rooms and bath, cemented cellar, modern improvements, near street car, $22 per month.
HALLER & DIBERT, 118 Sheridan st.

East End Residences.

FOR RENT.

S. Lang ave., brick, 10 rooms, $35.
Wellesley ave., brick, 12 rooms, $45.
Large 12-room brick, near Highland ave., E. E., $75; suitable for boarders.
DAVIES & CO., 6128 Penn ave., E. E.

FOR RENT—Handsome new East End residence; 10 rooms; all conveniences; nice street; convenient to electric line; for genteel tenant only; rent $62.50. Office 1106 Arrott building.

LEHIGH AVE., E. E., frame, 8 rooms.....$ 30
STANTON AVE., E. E., new colonial, 16 room brick.....$100
DAVIES & CO., 6128 Penn ave., E. E.

SEND for complete list of East End houses. J. W. SIFFERLEN, 107 Sheridan ave., E. E.

Rooms.

FOR RENT—Large unfurnished rooms, centrally located; suitable for offices or living purposes. JESSE K. SERIGHT, 401 Federal st., Ally.

FOR RENT—Neat furnished room; No. 519 Fourth ave. corner of Grant.

Apartments.

FOR RENT—Five room apartments; all modern improvements, in East End, near car line, $24 and $25 per month.
HALLER & DIBERT, 118 Sheridan st.

FOR RENT.

Offices.

To Let — Good sized office in Chronicle Telegraph Building, 347 and 349 5th Ave.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR SALE—$1,950—$650 cash; beautiful home; consisting of kitchen, cozy dining room; beautifully finished parlor, hall, two large sleeping rooms, trunk room, wide porch, good dry cellar, stone wall, slate roof, inside conveniences, well painted inside and out; newly papered; water and gas; thoroughly sewered; lot 25x100, back to street; right near fine ward school and churches; short walk or ride to Carnegie library and Allegheny market or business center of Pittsburgh; owner home daily to show this home, between 12 and 2 p. m. DELAVAN & CO., 314 Fourth ave., Room 25.

FOR SALE—10-room frame house in Bellevue; $4,500—A great bargain to quick buyer; house cannot be built for that price today, not including the price of the lot, which is worth $1,200; has every convenience, instantaneous heater, tile bathroom, heaters, clothes chutes, electric lights, combination fixtures, laundry, electric bells; in fact it is a modern house, just finished; owner must sell at once; the greatest bargain ever offered; it will pay you to investigate. Address D 27, The Gazette.

BELLEVUE BIG BARGAINS.

$2,400—Neat frame house; hall and 6 rooms, water, gas, etc.; large lot; close to cars.

$3,500—Handsome house; 8 rooms, water, gas, etc.; large lot; near cars.

ALSO VACANT LOTS AT BARGAINS.

Call and see
FEDERAL REAL ESTATE COMPANY,
First Nat. Bk. Bldg., Federal and Park way

FOR SALE.

A magnificent Bellevue residence, comparatively new, 11 rooms, reception hall, also linen, trunk and bath rooms; all modern conveniences; heated by hot water system; lot 100x160; new stable on premises. Owner leaving city only reason for selling. Price, $16,000.

JESSE K. SERIGHT,
401 Federal st., Allegheny.

BARGAIN FOR SALE. BARGAIN.

Winterburn ave., Squirrel Hill.

$2,800—Frame house, 6 rooms, bath, hall, etc., large porches. Trees, lawn, lot 35x80, one block from cars. Immediate possession.

502 German National Bank Building.

HALLETT HOMES. HALLETT'S BELLEVUE HOMES.

Best argument yet—Only 2—
Left of 15. Will make it
Worth your while to buy them.
HALLETT, 440 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN.

Glenfield, Pa., a 4-room house; two minutes' walk from railroad station; lot 87x180; price, $1,800.

JESSE K. SERIGHT,
401 Federal st., Allegheny.

$1,150—SHERADEN—New house, 4 rooms and basement, two porches, gas, water, slate roof. Want to sell this week.
IRON CITY REALTY CO., 504 Times Bldg.

FOR SALE—My house in Wilkinsburg. Is of best built; good as new; paved street, good home for Westinghouse man. Write E 78, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Very desirable Bellevue home; latest improvements; select location; owner needs money. Address X 73, The Gazette.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE—
A Great Bargain in East End Real Estate. House and lot on Emerson ave., E. E. Lot 50x100. Brick house of 9 rooms—bath room—furnace—hot-water heater, conservatory—all modern improvements. Will sell this property at the very low price of $6,300. Possession given in 60 days.

C. H. STRUBLE.
801 Bank for Savings, Pittsburgh, Pa.

$7,000.00

For a 10-room brick house; fine location, East End; payments easy.
W. J. STEWART & CO., Arrott Building.

FOR SALE—New colonial dwelling, 219 Fairmont avenue, E. E.; Handsome, well built, strictly modern; to quick buyer a great bargain. Apply to owner 343 Fairmont ave.

Real Estate—Special.

FOR SALE—The cheapest piece of property on the market. Only $750 for ten acres of land at Taylorstown, Washington county, Pa. Less than one quarter mile from the depot, and only five and six miles from Washington, Pa. Ten acres of good land, underlaid with coal, suitable for manufacturing site, farming purposes, or chicken farm; well watered.
Price $75 per acre.

Apply J. Ablett,
ATLANTIC REFINING CO.,
No. 1 Eighth st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—Elegant lot, Ingram Ridge; owner chose adjoining lot; reason for sale, has moved east; can be bought right. Address W 80, The Gazette.

Lots.

FOR SALE.
$3,250.

Lots 50x120 ft. on improved, level streets. Reasonable building restrictions to insure desirable improvements.

BESIDES,

We will furnish the money and plans to build. Prices and terms hard to equal.
Visit the "Wilkins Place" Plan and be convinced.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE AND LOAN CO.,
327 and 329 Fourth ave.

FIVE lots, Baird ave., near Frankstown; 25x110 and 28x80; each, $320 to $360. George Keisling, 6014 Penn ave.

Coal Lands.

COAL! Wanted, to correspond with parties who wish to invest in coal lands. Address R 53, The Gazette.

Business Opportunities.

BUSINESS of all kinds bought and sold; partners secured for established business, etc.; all transactions strictly confidential.
W. J. KIRK, Room 1109 Arrott Building, Wood st. and Fourth ave.

IF you want to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

BUSINESSES of all kinds bought and sold. See ROYAL REALTY CO., 504 Park Bldg.

Pianos.

LOOK.....LOOK
LOOK.....LOOK
LOOK.....LOOK
LOOK.....LOOK

A good Upright Piano
in excellent condition,
fine tone quality,
only $110.00,
only $110.00.

An exceptional bargain.
An exceptional bargain.
Easy terms.

Only $110.00.....Only $110.00
Only $110.00.....Only $110.00
Stool and Cover.

HOFFMANN'S.....537 Smithfield St.
HOFFMANN'S.....537 Smithfield St.
LOOK.....LOOK
LOOK.....LOOK
LOOK.....LOOK
LOOK.....LOOK

HANDSOMELY carved Fischer square piano (cost new $500), has been thoroughly overhauled and is a big bargain at $75. Easy terms if desired.

HOFFMANN'S, 537 Smithfield st.

A $450 Decker & Barnes square piano, with an exceptional fine tone quality and responsive action for $60. Easy terms.
HOFFMANN'S, 537 Smithfield st.

AUCTION SALE.

AUCTION SALE.

FINE FURNITURE, CARPETS, BRASS BED, BRONZES, PICTURES, PIANO, MIRRORS, ETC. THE FURNISHMENT OF A FINE RESIDENCE, MOVED TO THE STORE FOR SALE TUESDAY, DEC. 2d, AT 10 O'CLOCK, AT THE ROOMS OF THE HENRY AUCTION CO., 124 AND 126 NINTH STREET, PITTSBURGH, PA.

Fine Upright Piano, Mahogany Cabinet, Bronze Plaque, Elegant Pictures, Clocks and Ornaments, Chamber Suites in Mahogany, Oak and Walnut; Wardrobes, Desks, Chiffoniers, Chairs and Rockers, Parlor Couch and Library Suite, Sideboard, China Closet, Brass Bed, Fancy Tables, Chairs and Rockers, Hair Mattresses and Bedding, Carpets and Rugs for rooms and halls. Goods now on exhibition.

HENRY AUCTION CO.,
Auctioneers.

AUCTION AUCTION

TOYS, NOTIONS, STATIONERY, TOBACCO AND FANCY GOODS, $5,000 STOCK CONSIGNED TO THE HENRY AUCTION CO., 124 AND 126 NINTH ST., PITTSBURGH, WHICH WILL BE SOLD IN LOTS TO SUIT THE DEALERS, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 3, AT 10 O'CLOCK.

The stock embraces Toys and Fancy Goods, Tobacco, Stationery, Hardware and Holiday Goods, and will be sold in lots to suit the buyers.

HENRY AUCTION CO.,
Auctioneers.

MONEY TO LOAN.

$$$

SULLIVAN TALKS OF THE FIGHTERS

Ex-Champion Likes Terry McGovern Against Young Corbett.

HE PRAISES JEFFRIES

John L. Sullivan, ex-champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, and possibly the most popular prize fighter ever known, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday morning to fill a week's theatrical engagement at a local theater. Despite the fact that the ex-champion filed a petition in bankruptcy in New York last week he looked the part of a living statue of loose change as he strolled around Newell's hotel yesterday afternoon.

Clad in his happiest raiment the former idol of the followers of the prize ring greeted many of his Pittsburgh friends last night, and there was not a man who met him that would not be willing to wager he wore more than $60 worth of assets. The big fellow looks hale and hearty. His painful sobriety was plainly noticeable and John L., the great, was compelled to quench his thirst with bottle after bottle of Appolonaris.

John L. Has a Cold.

The ex-champion is suffering from a slight cold, and when he talks his voice would put the roar of the big lions at the Highland park zoo away to the clear. Sullivan wanted to talk. He did talk. In about 10 minutes' time he had mentioned almost every current topic from the attractions at all the theaters in the United States to airships and wireless telegraphy.

The big fellow likes theatrical folk in general. He spoke of Klaw & Erlanger, Oscar Hammerstein and "Charlie" Frohman as though he had gone to college with these theatrical magnates. His mention of the name of Santos Dumont was touching. He referred to him as a pal. Marconi, of wireless telegraphy fame, was his friend, who had Edison skinned a mile for inventive and brain power.

Talks of Prize Ring.

One of Sullivan's auditors was unkind enough to remind him that smoking was only permitted on the three rear seats, and the famous pugilist awoke to the situation and tumbled from his lofty, scientific line of talk to the prize ring. There John L. was at home. He knows the history of almost every fighter that ever stepped into the prize ring, and he loves to talk of them. He grows extremely reminiscent, and when he begins to speak of his many engagements he fights all battles over again to his hearers.

"I have not sparred any in three years," said the big fellow yesterday. "I do not even punch a bag any more. Just a little exercise in my room each day to loosen up a trifle, you know. That's all for you Uncle John.

He Admires Jeffries.

"What do I think of Jeffries? Oh, that fellow is the best welter of fighters. He's the finest ever. He has never found his equal and will not for many years. He's big, strong and powerful, and I confidently believe he can whip any man in the world today.

"There's a lad who has a fine wallop. He's a trip-hammer, and he knows how to land it, too. It'll not likely sign to fight for some time, because there is no man fit to meet him.

"You might have noticed by Corbett's decision in Kentucky, where he gives Bog Gray a shade. I'm glad of it. I'm for Bob first, last and all the time, and it pleases me to think that Terry McGovern and Young Corbett may yet get together in the Blue Grass state.

"If the boys meet soon there'll be a hot scrap. I'd like Terry to win the mill, but it will be a hard bout. Both boys are friends of mine, and I watched each one train for their engagement in Connecticut, which was not pulled off."

CAPTAIN ROY HAYES
of the Wash-Jeff Football Team.

SOUTH SIDE QUITS LEAGUE.

Disagreement Over Player Causes Vacancy in Basketball Organization.

At a conference early yesterday morning between Homestead, D. C. & A. C. and South Side, held in the office of the president of the Interstate Basketball league, South Side withdrew from the organization. There was some friction over Nickel, who had signed to play with both D. C. & A. C. and South Side.

His contract, signed with D. C. & A. C., is dated previous to the one signed with South Side, and under an agreement entered into by the managers at the league's first meeting this should give the player to D. C. & A. C.

Manager Evan Roberts of the South Side team at the early Sunday morning conference asked the privilege of playing Nickel in the opening game against Indiana tonight, but was refused, though Indiana was perfectly willing to play against Nickel.

South Side will go to Indiana tonight to open the basketball season there, but not as members of the Interstate league. Manchester, which some nights ago beat South Side, was yesterday offered the vacant place in the Interstate league, and may accept tonight. On account of South Side withdrawing and the fact that at present the Interstate league opening has been postponed until next Saturday night, December 6, when D. C. & A. C. meets Homestead on the floor of the latter team.

Manager John Feigel of the Butler team, who has succeeded Edward Campbell, was last night appointed a member of the schedule committee. Chairman Fred Roberts of that committee last night issued a call for a meeting of the committee Wednesday. Some changes in dates may be made.

NO BREAK IN ATHLETICS.

Yale and Harvard Will Have Their Regularly Scheduled Contests This Year

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—There is absolutely no danger of Harvard and Yale serving athletic relations.

This is stated on the authority of a Yale man who knows what was going on at the New Haven institution.

In fact, the Yale Daily News has already made the same assertion in order to set at rest the sensational stories that have been going the rounds to the effect that the Crimson and the Blue were about to cease their contests on the field and water for a time.

It is said that a meeting of the Yale-Harvard conference committee will soon be held to consider the advisability of making another five-year athletic agreement between the two colleges.

The last agreement, which was for five years, expired last year. Neither college could then come to a satisfactory understanding over another long-term compact, so it was decided to make a one-year agreement.

It is said that the committee will surely make a long-term agreement.

The advisability of securing three disinterested persons to act as an arbitration committee on protests, such as the Glass, Cutts and Schick cases, will also be considered.

TO PLAY SUNDAY BALL.

President Ban Johnson Says American League Will Do So in New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—President Ban Johnson of the American league, has gone one step further in his announcement in connection with the American's proposed invasion of this city. Johnson says nothing when he is here. When he returns to Chicago he talks. Now Johnson is quoted as saying that the American club will more than likely play Sunday ball in this city. Johnson does not explain why his club will be allowed to play Sunday ball when the New York and Brooklyn National league clubs cannot do so.

The location of the American league grounds in this city has not yet been made public. Johnson's latest is that he will let the New York baseball public know where they can see American league games when his league holds its annual meeting.

Johnson has not yet set the date for the meeting, consequently the announcement as to the grounds appears to be indefinitely postponed.

Jack McClelland Returns Home.

Jack McClelland, the local pugilist, and his manager, James Mason, returned from St. Louis last night. McClelland starts training today for a 15 bout with Ole Olesen, which is a 15-round affair scheduled for Jackson, Mich. After this fight McClelland returns to St. Louis to meet a man whom the West End club selects for 20 rounds on December 18.

SKIP WITH "CUFFS."

Two Homestead Men Jump from Patrol Wagon at Cleveland and Escape—Locked Together.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—John Cushing and John Halloran, whose pictures adorn the rogues' gallery and whose homes are at Homestead, Pa., broke away from the police here today when they were being taken to the Central police station.

The men had been locked up as drunks in an outlying station. They were handcuffed together this morning and with others put in the patrol wagon, but when the wagon reached the Central station they were missing.

A thorough search had failed to reveal a trace of the men.

MR. TEMPLE SLATED FOR PRESIDENCY

Pittsburgher Is Considering Proposition According to Col. Dreyfuss.

"I sincerely hope W. C. Temple will decide to accept the presidency of the National league. He is considering the matter now and he has promised to let me know before the league meeting if he will accept the office."

With this statement President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh baseball team could be inducted in so far further into the method which will be adopted for the control of the National league next year.

"Everything is harmonious in the great National league family," the local magnate declared." We expect to have a very short session in New York and everything done will be for peace in the major organization.

In writing of National league affairs, Tim Murnane, the well-known baseball authority has the following to say:

"Messrs. Soden, Brush and Hart, the committee which ran the league last season, and ran it better than it was ever run before, as a clean sport, are no doubt willing to continue for another season. With John T. Brush located at the New York headquarters, in a better position to keep out the sins of the committee, there is no good reason why the old board should not be complimented by a re-election.

"John T. Brush has spent the best part of his life planning baseball schemes. It is his life, and it would kill him sure were he left out of the ruling force in the league. Brush is clever and a tireless worker. Following the compass of Soden, he has managed to steer his baseball interests into a winning channel, and is now in a position to play king bee in the league hive. Brush is the ideal chairman for the committee named to run the league.

"With the Brush-Soden forces behind the Philadelphia club, James A. Hart will be satisfactory to the Quakers. This will give the old board five votes and the power to run the league by seven magnates well up in the politics of the game, viz., Brush, Soden, Hart, Robison and Reach. Here again is the "big five" of the National league, and the men who will run that organization with their motto of "Baseball first" in Pittsburgh and Cincinnati to pull together, with Brooklyn, as always, outside the breastworks."

New Orleans Racing Card.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 30.—The New Orleans entries for Monday are as follows:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Agnes Mack, Hide and Seek, Hindi Magoni, Soothsayer, Our Bessie, 104; Watkins Overton, Computation, War Cry, Sidney Sabbath, 107; Shoo Fly, 112; Tancred, 115.

Second race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Miss Zra, Sue Johnson, Prince Blazes, 100; Nettie Regent, 102; Maple, John Potter, Free Pass, Flop, Vesuvius, Chorus Girl, 106; Annie Laurette, Henry of Franstamer, 107.

Third race, 1 mile—The Widow, 95; Honolulu, Smile, 100; Federal, 105; The Lady, 109.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Jocular Moor, Dr. Schaff, 94; Hobart, 100; *Lord Melbourn, 99; *Jack Demund, 105; W. J. Debos, 107; Wealth, 108; Clorlia, 110; Ordnung, 113; **My Surprise, 90; *St. Cuthbert, 115; Death, 115. *S. S. Bender's entry. **Durnell & Herz's entry.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Little Jack Horner, 98; Boundless, 100; Della Ostrand, Corsair, 110; Ordnung, 113; **My Surprise, 90; **

FEUD IN WALL STREET BREAKS USUAL CALM

Bulls and Bears Have Equal Fears for Safety When Harriman, Hawley and Gould Fall Out.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 30.

For the greater portion of the week conflicting influences were at work in Wall street. A calm consideration of the developments of the interval makes clear the point that the factors exerting the greatest influence on prices were of a superficial character. The fundamental situation was unchanged and unimproved. The potent force of mystery with which for so many days, after the facts were known, the interests identified with the Manhattan Elevated railroad and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company surrounded their "deal" acted as a sustaining force in the market. Opposed to this was the influence of the Colorado Fuel and Iron controversy, which was conducted in an undignified manner by the various parties engaged in the dispute.

Wall street is sensitive and somewhat inclined toward hysteria at the present time. In consequence of this frame of mind it is perhaps not strange that professional speculators should manifest uneasiness involving such prominent interests as those represented by Harriman, Hawley and Gould. While the idea which found lodgment in Wall street that the quarrel would lead to reprisals in the stock market was exceedingly foolish, the incident lead to some selling of stock and put a damper upon professional enthusiasm. The manner in which speculation values responded to the news of the quarrel makes an interesting commentary upon the present stock market and the temper of the trading element. It is the more interesting when the character of the security which created the turmoil is considered, for whatever the merit of Colorado Fuel and Iron as a property, the stock as a counter in the Wall street game has for years been a notorious stock jobbing favorite.

As a result of the conflicting forces mentioned prices moved with extreme irregularity during the week. The movements, however, were almost entirely of a professional character. Men of great wealth, like John D. Rockefeller, for instance, might be willing to buy securities such as Manhattan for cash, even at prevailing prices, thought it is well known that most of the stock acquired by Mr. Rockefeller was obtained at much lower prices than those now prevailing. A purchase which might prove highly attractive as an investment to a very wealthy man looking to some developments in the future, may not appeal with equal force to a small investor looking for immediate returns and satisfactory income.

Entirely aside from the property in question, however, the market continues professional, because the situation is not attractive to the general public, which is loath to borrow money at 6 per cent to hazard it in stocks paying from 2¾ to 4 per cent, or in properties which are paying nothing at all and are yet selling where they might reasonably be expected to show some promise of dividends. Even in the case of such properties, which might be bought with a fair degree of safety by discriminating investors, the proposition is not speculatively attractive, in view of the very heavy interest charges which the high money rates and the higher prices of the standard shares entail.

The money market is not in a position to stand an additional strain, and to go deeper into the subject it is not the utterances of one man, even be he president of the United States, which can make or mar the underlying conditions which must govern the security market. Even if wise and conservative views are expressed on the great subject of trusts, the tariff and currency reform, and speculators seize upon them as a market "argument," any improvement can be but short lived.

Not until Wall street sees the currency flowing back from the interior and a relaxed tension in the money market; not until it sees commodity prices reduced and great cargoes of staples and manufactured articles going abroad, and sees also the imports falling away, and the drain to the treasury diminish or fall away to normal figures; not until it witnesses a fall in demand sterling exchange, which removes the rate to a point far from that at which gold shipments are possible, can there be a healthful situation and lasting improvement.

SALES FOR THE WEEK.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange for the week ending November 29, 1902, were 15,369 shares stock, $35,000 bonds and 1 4-20 rights. The business was distributed as follows:

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ng
500	A. V. pfd.	30	30	30	—3
250	Brewing	30½	30½	30½	
80	Do pfd.	47½	47½	47½	+1½
60	Con. Ice pfd.	37	37	37	+½
1400	Crue. Steel	20⅛	18⅝	19¼	—¾
100	Do pfd.	85½	84½	85½	+1
607	Fire Proof	27	25½	25½	—1¼
218	Do pfd.	38	37¼	37¼	—¾
200	Luster Mf'g	14	14	14	—½
500	M. L. & T.	90	88¾	90	+1⅝
6	Monon Water	39	39	39	0
50	Phila. Co.	47½	47½	47½	+½
115	Do pfd.	49½	49¼	49½	+½
2764	Pgh. Coal	29¼	28⅝	29	0
981	Do pfd.	85½	85	85¼	+¼
215	P. Pl. Glass	138	135	135	—2
60	River Coal	10⅝	10½	10⅝	+⅛
220	Do pfd.	39½	39½	39⅝	+⅛
1233	U. S. Steel	37	36	36	—1½
200	Do pfd.	84⅝	83⅝	83⅝	—¾
25	Wabash pfd.	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	—3⅝
478	West. A'b'ke.	175	170¼	172	—3
648	W. E. 2ds	102	100½	102	—1
2940	Win. Glass	35½	30	30	—5
5	Do pfd.	88½	88½	88½	+½
10	Ally. Trust	150	150	150	0
225	Amer. Trust	147	140	140	—8
10	Bk. of Pgh.	133½	133½	133½	+½
50	Colonial Tr.	602	592½	600	+10
10	Com R.E.& T	237	237	237	+2
5	Cosmo. N. B.	107	107	107	+1
10	Diam'd N. B.	441	441	441	—10
15	Dis. T. & T.	250	250	250	—10
105	Federal N. B.	144	143½	144	+½
10	Guar. T. & T.	140½	140½	140½	+1
10	Monon. N. B.	290	290	290	+5
10	N. Am. Sav.	131	131	131	0
50	R. E. Trust.	291	288	288	+1½
405	S. D. & T.	120	115	115	—5
25	S. Side Trust	100	100	100	—⅞
15367					
$15000	Brewing 6s.	113	112¾	113	+½
1000	Con. Gas. 5s.	110¾	110¾	110¾	—¼
3000	N. S. B'ge 6s	103¾	103¾	103¾	+⅝
3000	P., McK. & C. 5s	98	98	98	0
12000	Riv. Coal 6s.	111¾	111¾	111¾	+⅜
1 4-20	Mon. Water.	39	39	39	+4

*New high mark.

Offerings of Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, 317 Fourth ave., is offering for sale a great variety of first-class investment bonds on terms that will afford excellent returns to the investor. The company is one of the few institutions of its kind in the country that has a regularly established department for the handling of high standard investment securities. Its patrons and friends will always find the manager of this department, Mr. Alexander C. Thompson, ready and willing to discuss the merits and advantages of any security about which they may want information. The entire resources of the company will be at their disposal. Inquiry may be made in person, by letter or by telephone, at the office in the Colonial's building in Fourth ave.

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
6400	Am. T. & S. F.	82⅝	83	82⅛	82⅝
500	Do preferred	95⅛	96⅛	95⅛	96⅛
	Am. Cotton Oil				45⅝
	Do preferred	98½	98⅝	98⅜	97
2200	Am. Sugar Ref.	121	122⅛	119⅛	120
	Do preferred				117
200	Am. Locomotive	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅝
	Do preferred				91⅛
100	Am. Car Found.	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛
	Do preferred				90
	American Tin				6¾
	Do preferred				44
6300	Amalga. Copper	56½	57⅜	56	56⅛
	Anaconda Cop.				88
2850	Am. Smelt & Ref	39⅛	39⅝	38⅛	39⅛
200	Do preferred	90⅛	91	90⅛	90⅛
	American Ice				10¾
	Do preferred	38⅛	38⅜	38⅛	37⅞
3700	Balto. & Ohio	98⅛	99	98⅛	98⅝
	Do preferred				93
22900	Brook. Rap. Tr.	63⅛	65¼	63⅛	63⅜
2800	Canadian Pacific	128⅛	128⅝	127⅝	128⅛
500	Chi. Gt. West.	26½	26⅝	26	25⅞
200	Consolidated Gas	213⅞	213⅞	213	213⅝
	C. C. C. & St. L.				85⅞
800	Ches. & Ohio	45⅝	45⅞	45⅛	45⅜
	Chicago & Alton				33
	Do preferred				70
	Chi. & Gt. Lou				7¾
4000	Col. Fuel & Iron	88	89	88	88
	Corn Product	28	28⅜	28	28⅛
	Do preferred				80½
200	Colo. Southern				25⅝
100	Do 1st pfd.	68½	68⅛	68	68
100	Do 2nd pfd.	42⅞	42⅞	42⅞	42⅛
	D., L. & West.				240
100	Del. & Hudson	161	161	161	159½
3800	Erie	34	34⅛	33⅝	33⅞
700	Do 1st pfd.	64½	64⅞	64½	64⅜
600	Do 2nd pfd.	46⅛	46⅛	45⅝	45⅞
	General Electric				177½
5700	Hocking Valley	97½	99¼	97½	97⅝
1400	Do preferred	94	94½	94	94⅛
1100	Illinois Central	145	145	144	144⅞
100	Iowa Central	39½	39½	39½	39
500	Do preferred	66¼	66¼	66¼	68
	Int. Paper				18¼
	Do preferred				77½
	L. E. & West.				51
	Do preferred				118
12000	Louis. & Nash.	125¼	130⅞	125¼	128⅝
15400	Manhattan	156	157	156	156⅜
7500	Missouri Pacific	107	107⅝	106	106⅛
2000	M., K. & T. pfd	50⅞	51⅛	50⅝	50⅞
3200	Metropolitan	141¼	141¼	139¼	140
200	Mexican Central	22⅝	22⅝	22⅜	22⅝
100	National Lead	27	27	27	26⅛
	Do preferred				90
	National Biscuit				45
	Do preferred				119½
3400	N. Y. Central	154	154	153⅜	154⅛
	N. J. Central				165
200	N. Y. O. & W.	29⅜	29⅜	29⅜	29⅜
3100	Norfolk & West	71	71⅛	70⅝	70⅞
	Do preferred				90½
	North Am. Co.				118
	Omaha				155
400	Peoples Gas	100⅜	101¼	100⅛	101⅛
	Pacific Mail				45
	Pullman				225
100	Pressed S. Car	60	60	60	59⅜
	Do preferred				91
16200	Penna. R. R.	157	157⅜	156⅝	156⅝
	P., C., C. & St. L				93
	Do preferred				100
	Railway Springs				34
	Do preferred				85½
1100	Reading	69¼	69⅝	69⅛	69⅜
	Do 1st pfd.				80
	Do 2nd pfd.				74
6100	Rock Island	44⅛	44⅛	43⅝	43⅝
4000	Do preferred	83	83	83	83⅛
2300	Republic Iron	19⅝	20	19⅛	19⅛
500	Do preferred	76¾	77	76⅝	76⅞
	St. L. & S. F.				72½
200	Do 1st pfd.				86
400	Do 2nd pfd.	70⅜	70⅜	70⅜	70½
12100	South. Pacific	63	63⅛	62⅛	62⅞
3800	South. Railway	32⅜	33	31⅝	32⅛
200	Do preferred	92	92	92	92
10400	St. Paul	177⅛	177⅜	175⅛	176⅛
	Do preferred				166
400	St. L. & S'wn.	28	28⅛	28	28
100	Do preferred				68⅜
300	Tenn. C. & I.	57	57	56⅜	56⅛
800	Texas & Pacific	42	42⅛	41⅝	41⅞
600	T., St. L. & W.	29	29⅞	28⅝	28⅝
600	Do preferred	46	46⅞	46	46
4000	U. S. Steel	36⅛	36⅞	36⅛	36⅛
2600	Do preferred	85⅛	85⅝	83⅛	85⅛
11200	Union Pacific	99⅞	100⅛	99⅛	99⅞
1800	Do preferred	91⅜	91⅜	90⅛	90⅜
	U. S. Rubber				16½
100	U. S. Leather	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	12⅛
	Do preferred				88⅛
	U. S. C. I. P.				22
	Do preferred	52½	52½	52½	52
	U. S. R. & C.	23½	23½	22	23½
	Do preferred	68½	68⅝	68⅛	68⅛
	Wabash				29⅞
800	Do preferred	42⅝	43⅛	42⅝	43
800	W. U. Tele.	88	88	88	87⅜
	W. & L. E.				54
	Do 1st pfd.	53	53	53	52
500	Do 2nd pfd.	33½	33½	33	31
	Wis. Central				25⅜
400	Do preferred	50	51	50	50

237,700 Total sales for day. *Asked.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 29.—Spirits turpentine, 50½c bid. Rosin firm, $1 30@1 35. Crude turpentine firm, $1 75 to $3 00. Tar firm, $1 50.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF MARKET PRICES

Trade at Close Was Quiet but Firm—Canned Corn Scarce and Advancing.

The Thanksgiving holiday of last week brought about a greater degree of activity in the markets for the first few days, the latter part of the period exhibiting that quiet which usually follows special excitement. Prices generally, however, instead of reacting after the active demand subsided, retained all the strength they had possessed, even gaining in some lines.

In the hay and grain situation the particular feature of the week was the lifting of the embargo upon receipts which had been placed there by the Pennsylvania Company a short time ago. It lasted long enough to benefit the market, however, enabling receivers to clean up stock which had accumulated and get it out of the way of other consignments. Thus was a business congestion avoided, as there was danger of oversupply in a few lines. Hay continues at same quotations as at the opening of the week, and is in steady request. Oats are firmer, with selling figures doing a half cent better than on last Monday. Old yellow shelled corn is nominally unchanged, though a shade easier, while old ear corn is practically out of the market and is no longer quoted. Both ear and shelled new are now arriving in regular consignments and are meeting with ready sale. Millfeed is holding at same quotations as prevailed at the opening of the week, with local trading quiet. Rye is unchanged, ruling prices not having varied for several weeks.

Flour Market Went Off.

On Wednesday a decline in flour prices became apparent, brought to pass by sharp local competition, which has forced quotations down to a lower range than the condition of affairs warrants. Jobbers realize they are selling flour at figures below actual value, but cannot help themselves. Business has been quiet during the week, cornmeal, rolled oats and oatmeal declining quite materially. This has been expected ever since the crop statistics were made known, proving that there would be an immense yield of grain. Stocks and wheat are unchanged, the former being very strong, with dealers rather anticipating another advance.

Canned corn is very firm and is higher in price. Appearances indicate the possibility of a shortage in this product, as supplies in the hands of packers are thought to be inadequate to meet the normal demand. Tomatoes are correspondingly weak, and lower quotations were heard in the local market last week than have been mentioned at any other time this season. Jobbers expected canned tomatoes to be higher by this time, but there is not the expected demand for them and they are weaker.

Dried fruits are unchanged, except raisins which are growing firmer, with some descriptions advanced. Peaches are especially fine in quality, and less expensive than they were a year ago.

Salt fish continues steady at the very high figures which have ruled for some time. Supplies are limited.

Irish Potatoes Not Changed.

There have been no changes in the potato market so far as white potatoes are concerned, but sweets are higher. Cabbage is weak and slow of sale, with stocks heavy and prices scarcely holding their own. Cucumbers advanced for the Thanksgiving day trade and maintain the advance. Onions are unchanged. Celery and lettuce were a few points higher before Thursday and are still doing well. String beans command better figures than they did last Monday, though they are not as high as during the middle of the week. Florida egg plant is higher.

Apples have held their own, being helped out by a demand that was stimulated by the holiday influence. There are still large stocks in the hands of dealers, which will have to show some reduction before there will be any actual improvement in the market. Concord grapes are done and Catawbas are less plentiful than at the beginning of the week. Cranberries are steady but no higher. Kiefer pears are still among the arrivals, while Sheldons are done.

Lemons are easier, with prices a shade lower, while oranges are firm and higher. Bananas are unchanged. Malaga grapes are holding at old prices, while Californias are almost done, with few offering. Grape fruit and pineapples steady and unchanged.

Egg Scarcity Continues.

Butter advanced a half cent last Monday and is steady at the advance. Cheese quotations are a trifle higher than they were a week ago. Fresh eggs are very scarce and higher. Receipts of eggs during the week were limited and the outlook is for continued scarcity. Storage eggs are being withdrawn with greater freedom, the cooler weather helping their sale. Poultry is higher than it was last Monday, dressed turkeys and chickens advancing since Thanksgiving day, at which time stocks were thoroughly cleaned up. Although some special holiday prices were secured on Wednesday, when the market was excited, they were not abnormally high and figures since Friday are firmer than they were earlier in the week.

Provision dealers again put down ham quotations on Saturday, other lines remaining unchanged. This makes three successive weekly declines in hams, brought about by easier conditions controlling the live stock market. Breakfast bacon, which went off in price a week ago, remained unchanged yesterday, with the market steady.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 14 cars hay, 10 cars oats, 1 car corn and oats, 4 cars rye, 1 car corn, 1 car straw, 1 car feed; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 2 cars hay, 1 car rye, 1 car oats; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 11 cars hay, 2 cars oats; Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad, 2 cars hay. Total receipts, 51 cars.

Choice timothy $15.25@15.50; No. 1 tim..$15.00@15.25; do No. 2 $13.00@14.00; No. 1 clov..$12.00@12.50; do mixed $13.00@13.50; Loose, from wagon ..$16.00@17.00; Straw, oat...$8.50@9.00; do wheat..$8.50@9.00; do rye...$8.50@9.00; Corn, old, No. 2 yellow, shell...65@66c; do high mix.67@68c; do No. 2 mix.66@67c; do new No. 2 yellow shell...59@52c; do ear...58@59c; No. 2 new yellow ear.....48@50c; do high mixed.46@46c; do No. 2 mix.45@44c; Rye, No. 2, ... Wheat, No. 2, red ..... Oats, No. 2, white .....37@37½c; do extra No. 3 .....36@36½c; do No. 3 .....35@35½c; White mid'lgs, No. 2, ton $18.50@19.00; Brown mid'lgs, ton ...$17.50@18.00; Bran, ton..$17.00@17.50.

GROCERIES.

Flour, fancy spg pat...$4.10@4.20; do fancy win. patent ..$3.75@3.85; do straight winter ..$3.65@3.70; do clear ..$3.50@3.60; do graham $4.00@4.50; Cornm'l, bbl $3.50@3.60; do 10-lb cotton bags....18@20c; Rolled oats, bbl .....$5.00; do pkgs ...$2.85@3.00; (Sugar quotations are for Allegheny wagon delivery. Add nine cents per 100 pounds for rail shipments to points within a radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.) Coffee, roasted, bulk, Rio.10½@12c; do Santos.22½@23½c; do Maracaibo, ... do Java.....17@17½c; do Peaberry...17@18c; do Caracas.19@19½c; do Gel. Rio.13¾@14c; Do Java.....25@26c; Mackerel, No. 1, bbls .....23.00; do half bbls.... 12.00; do quar. bbls... 6.00; do 10-lb pails...$1.40; Lake herring, 100 lbs ..... $4.10; do 50-lb quar...$1.55; do 10 lbs ..... .60c; Oatmeal, bbl ..... $5.50; do kegs ..... $2.50; Sugar, stan. gran..4.90c; do fine..... 4.90c; do C-lb cartons...5.10c; do jute bags ...5.05c; do powdered ....5.05c; do pow'd xxxx..5.05c; do cubes.....5.15c; do cut loaf.....5.15c; do confec. A ..4.75c; do coffee A 4.65@4.70c; do No. 1 yellow..4.55c; do No. 2 yellow..4.45c; do No. 3 yellow..4.40c; Pineapples ..$1.20@2.25; Plums, damson...$1.00; do California...$1.40; Raspberries ....85@95c;

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl....$31.00; do half bbls.... 15.50; do quar. bbls... 8.00; Mackerel, No. 2, bbls ..... 23.00; do half bbls.... 12.00;

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std pie.80@85c; do pie....$2.50@3.00; do Califor. I. C....$1.90@....; do M. Island ....$1.15@1.65; do Cal. Y. F. .....$1.80@2.00; Corn, fancy..$1.17@1.30; do std ....95c@$1.10; Cherries, Cal., white ..$2.20@2.25; Lima beans..$1.20@1.40; do soaked....75@80c; String beans.65c@$1.25; Peas, marrowfat .....95c@$1.00; do early June ...$1.00@1.25; do soaked ....55@65c; Apples, N. Y. gal. cans .....$2.50; Pineapples ..$1.20@2.25; Plums, damson...$1.00; do California...$1.40; Raspberries ....85@95c;

GROCERIES.

Beans, hand-picked ..... Beans, prime, mar., bu ....$2.85@2.90; do navy, ... Beans, lima, ... Blackberries, standard.$1.02@1.10; do fancy..$1.20@1.30; Succotash, 1-lb cans ....65c@$1.40; Baked beans, tomato ..85c@$1.40; Salmon, doz..$1.00@2.65; Chipped beef..$2.50@2.75; Corned and roast beef, 2-lb cans ....$2.45@2.50; do 1-lb cans .....$1.45@1.50; Mackerel, broiled ...$1.75@2.00; Sardines, domestic, ½s...$3.60@3.65; do mustard, ¼s..$2.90; do French,$9.60@16.00; Oysters, 1-lb full weight..85c@1.25; do 1-lb lunch, flat cans.....$1.10;

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, choice car lots, bu.50@55c; do fancy car-lots, bu....55@58c; do carload, 58@60c; do ex-store..65@70c; Sweet potatoes, Va., bbl ....$2.25@2.50; do Jersey, fancy ...$3.50@4.00; do med ...$2.25@2.50; Onions, bbl..$2.00@2.25; do bu .....65@75c; do green, doz.15@20c; Cucumbers, hothouse, doz. ...$1.75@2.00; do Florida, bbl ...$3.00@4.00; Cabbage, Danish, ton ....$5.00@6.00; do domestic, ton ....$3.00@4.00; Beets, doz.....25@30c; do bbl....$1.75@2.00; Parsley, doz....40@50c; Radishes, doz...25@30c; Spinach, bu....60@65c; Celery, doz.....50@60c; Lettuce, home, doz .....50@75c; do Ashtabula, doz .....35@40c; do head, bbl ....$5.00@6.00; Endive, bbl...$3.00@6.00; Egg plant, Fla., crate ...$2.50@3.00; Turnips, bbl..$1.50@1.75; Garlic, lb.....7@10c; Carrots, bbl..$1.50@1.75; do doz bun....20@25c; String beans, green, basket ...$2.00@2.50; do wax.....$2.00@2.50; Kohlrabi dz bch.30@40c; Cauliflower, doz...$1.25; do bbl ....$2.50@3.00; Squash, Hubbard, bbl ....$1.25@1.50; do mar....50c@$1.00; Parsnips, bbl $1.75@2.00; Rutabagas, bbl..$0.90@$1.00; Watercress, doz.30@35c; Florida tomatoes, crate ....$2.00@2.50; Brussels sprouts, qt .....15@18c;

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags .....8½@9c; do 25-lb boxes..10@12c; Apples, bulk.....8c; do 1-lb cartons .....8¼@9c; Peaches .....7@10c; Raspberries ....27½c; Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs.9½@9¾c; do Muscatel, 2 and 4-crown 20-lb boxes....7@8c; do Ondara Val .....9¾@10½c; do Cal Val.....7½c; Currants, cleaned, 1s and 2s-lb pkgs .....6½@6¾c; Prunes, Cal...8¾@8½c;

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, small.$7.10@7.20; do mammoth ...$7.20@7.30; do crimson.$4.75@5.00; do white ..... Dutch $10.00@11.00; Alsike .....$10.00@10.50; Alfalfa .....$7.10@7.20; Millet .....$1.65@1.70; Grass, Hungarian .....90c@$1.10; do lawn, 1b...18@20c; do blue, 14-lb bu....$1.50@1.75; do red top, 14-lb bu..$1.10@2.00; Timothy ....$2.00@2.05;

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, Kings, bbl .....$2.25@2.75; Baldwins, Hubbardston.$2.25@2.50; do greenings and pippins..$1.25@1.75; do bulk, hand-picked, per 100 lbs...75c@$1.00; do windfalls, per 100 lbs.....40@50c; Grapes, do Catawba, pony baskets.....10@18c; Pears, Kiefer, bbl ..... $2.25@2.50; Cranberries, Cape Cod, fcy..$2.50@3.00; do choice....$2.25@2.50; do bbl....$7.50@9.00; do Jersey..$2.50@2.75;

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, California .....$4.00@4.50; do Messina, per 100...$1.00; Oranges, Jamaica, bbl .....$2.25@2.50; do Florida.$4.00@4.50; Cocoanuts, bags ...$3.25@3.50; Bananas, firsts ...$1.50@2.00; do eights..$1.25@1.50; do seconds.$1.00@1.25; Grapes, Cal., baskets ....$2.25@2.50; do Malaga, keg .....$5.00@7.00; Grape fruit..$6.00@8.00; Pineapples, each.10@15c;

NUTS.

Almonds, lb.....15c; Filberts, lb.....11c; Walnuts, Englsh, lb.....11@13c; do black, bu..75@85c; Pecans, lb.....12@15c; Brazil nuts, lb.....10c; Mixed nuts, lb.12@15c; Chestnuts, small, lb .....4@5c; do large.....7@8c; Shellbarks, bu .....$1.50@2.00; Peanuts, fancy....$1.35; do choice.....$1.15;

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter, prints.30@40½c; do tubs....29@29½c; do Ohio-Pa. creamery 27@27½c; do dairy.....22c; do country roll .....21@22c; Cheese, N. Y. full cream.....14c; do Ohio ....13½@14c; do ¾ cream.....13c; do Ohio Swiss, tubs .....13½@14c; do Wis. Swiss, tubs .....15½@16c; do 20-lb blocks, Swiss ....14@14½c; do 5-lb brick.....14c; do limburger ....13c; Eggs, select .....28c; do candled .....27c; do at mark .....26c; do storage ....22@23c;

POULTRY.

Live hens, lb...13@14c; Springers .....14c; Roosters .....8@9c; Turkeys, lb .....12c; Geese .....12@13c; Ducks, old .....13c; do spring .....14c; Dressed hens....17@18c; Broilers .....17@18c; Roosters .....12c; Turkeys .....13@19c; Ducks .....17c; do Long Island....20c;

GAME.

Grouse, imp. pair.$3.00; Mallard ducks, pair ....$1.50@1.75; Teal ducks, pair, .$1.00; Redheads, pair....$1.50; Canvas bks, pair.$2.75; Squabs, doz.$2.25@3.50; Railbirds, doz....$1.75; Pigeons, doz.....$2.25; Squirrels, pair..60@65c; Pheasants, pair..$2.50; Blackcock, pair....$2.50; Partridges, pair...$2.00; Groundhogs, ea..35@50c; Possums, each..35@50c; Coons, each..75@$1.00; Rabbits, pair....35@40c; Sucking pigs, each ....$3.25@5.50;

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy .....10c; do light, under 60 lbs and cows, all weights....8c; No. 1 green bulls..7c; Calfskin, No. 1....9c; do No. 2.....8c; Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs ....11c; do No. 2 .....10c; Cows and light steers .....9c; Calfskins, No. 1....11c; do No. 2 .....9½c;

NEW YORK WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

Statement of the associated banks of the city of New York, from reports to the New York clearing house, as required under section 16 of the constitution, for the week ended Friday:

NAME OF BANK.	Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	*Deposits.	Circulation.
Bank of New York, N. B. A.	$ 10,845,000	$ 2,201,000	$ 1,406,000	$ 14,911,000	$1,184,000
Bank of the Manhattan Co.	18,768,000	4,767,000	2,101,000	22,340,000	.....
Merchants National Bank	11,739,800	2,022,600	1,262,000	13,979,000	.....
Mechanics National Bank	12,622,000	3,030,000	1,053,000	14,985,000	.....
Bank of America	19,097,500	3,039,200	2,351,900	22,148,500	.....
Phoenix National Bank	4,874,000	890,000	264,000	4,767,000	47,800
National City Bank	123,404,100	27,928,100	5,497,900	111,712,700	5,454,700
Chemical National Bank	24,127,800	4,568,670	2,111,800	23,826,400	.....
Merchants Exchange Nat. Bank	4,961,200	929,900	563,100	5,361,100	236,000
Gallatin National Bank	8,340,200	872,900	786,800	6,292,000	994,200
National Butchers & Drovers Bank	1,648,800	483,200	41,400	2,091,800	47,100
Mechanics & Traders Bank	3,078,000	415,000	351,000	3,877,000	.....
Greenwich Bank	1,217,200	168,100	170,700	1,096,900	.....
Leather Manufacturers Nat. Bank	4,781,100	1,462,000	155,000	5,089,000	466,300
Seventh National Bank	6,383,000	1,461,200	223,500	6,082,000	534,300
American Exchange Nat. Bank	31,121,000	3,965,000	1,921,000	24,441,000	5,000,000
National Bank of Commerce	68,966,900	9,206,600	4,418,400	54,548,500	9,937,000
National Citizens Bank	6,857,200	1,420,000	439,100	6,441,000	588,700
Merchants National Bank	12,949,900	1,781,000	1,311,200	13,005,700	468,100
Pacific Bank	2,883,000	459,700	27,200	3,056,100	.....
Chatham National Bank	5,723,400	821,400	718,500	5,722,100	49,500
Peoples Bank	2,091,900	270,000	396,400	2,734,600	.....
National Bank of North America	16,010,200	2,042,200	1,435,000	13,320,000	1,367,000
Hanover National Bank	46,518,300	7,882,200	5,776,500	51,981,000	2,585,100
Irving National Bank	5,552,000	613,800	480,900	4,936,000	243,700
National Citizens Bank	5,752,900	1,227,600	417,300	6,422,900	638,100
Nassau Bank	2,542,000	337,100	329,500	2,974,000	.....
Market & Fulton National Bank	3,150,400	1,033,100	188,900	4,067,200	50,000
National Shoe & Leather Bank	4,611,500	1,136,900	255,100	5,365,700	49,700
Corn Exchange Bank	23,641,000	3,084,000	3,322,000	27,048,000	.....
Oriental	1,868,800	242,800	302,900	1,839,000	.....
Importers and Traders National	22,400,000	3,085,000	1,265,000	21,251,000	45,200
National Park	48,880,000	14,884,000	3,558,000	58,765,000	1,800,300
East River National	1,108,600	214,800	191,500	1,349,700	50,000
Fourth National	19,453,000	3,420,000	2,220,000	21,667,700	50,000
Central National	9,277,000	1,799,000	768,000	11,120,000	925,000
Second National	9,481,000	1,826,000	1,137,000	10,794,000	253,000
First National	80,307,900	17,415,600	2,233,300	71,150,000	7,583,500
New York National Exchange	5,536,000	812,200	481,300	5,307,400	402,500
Bowery	2,404,000	421,000	384,000	3,029,000	.....
New York County	5,764,700	841,400	420,700	4,782,000	50,000
German-American	3,706,800	1,010,500	235,700	3,619,900	.....
Chase National	41,020,800	10,519,000	1,874,600	48,051,000	1,000,000
Fifth Avenue	8,660,100	2,242,900	272,500	9,404,300	.....
German Exchange	2,520,900	149,000	757,000	3,196,300	.....
Germania	4,030,800	415,200	401,200	4,345,200	.....
Lincoln National	9,831,600	662,000	2,048,700	10,858,100	248,800
Garfield National	7,812,400	1,468,800	351,200	7,343,700	49,500
Fifth National	3,813,500	457,200	229,700	3,454,600	185,500
Bank of the Metropolis	7,744,700	1,092,200	515,400	8,874,000	.....
West Side	3,103,000	450,000	352,000	3,265,000	.....
Seaboard National	11,380,000	1,979,000	1,388,000	13,052,000	50,000
Western National	37,177,100	8,748,200	3,223,100	43,277,100	850,000
First National Bank Brooklyn	4,280,000	414,000	1,437,000	4,437

TROOPS SHOULD HAVE CANTEEN

Secretary Root Says Its Absence Is Proving Bad for the Army.

HE DEALS WITH MILITIA

Recommends Passage of the Law Now Before Congress—Also Favors General Staff and Elimination of Commanding General

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.—The report of Secretary of War Root, to be sent to congress, makes many recommendations somewhat in line with those of his last report. Perhaps the most interesting point is on the subject of canteens, in which the secretary says:

I am convinced that the general effect of prohibiting the use of beer and light wines within the limited area of the army post is to lead the enlisted men to go out of the post, to frequent vile resorts which cluster in the neighborhood, to drink bad whisky to excess, and to associate intimately with abandoned men and more abandoned women; and that the operation of the law is to increase drunkenness, disease of the most loathsome kind, insubordination and desertion, and moral and physical degeneration.

On the disposition of the army in peace, he recommends large camps adjacent to, but beyond the limits of large cities, rather than many small camps, thus giving opportunity for increasing the efficiency of the army.

Our Militia System.

On the question of state militia, the secretary urges the passage of the bill now before congress, and says:

It is really absurd that a nation which maintains but a small regular army and depends upon unprofessional citizen soldiery for its defense should run along as we have done for 110 years under a militia law which never worked satisfactory in the beginning, and which was perfectly obsolete before any man now fit for military duty was born. The result is that we have practically no militia system. If the militia bill becomes a law, an effort should be made to procure the organization of a national guard force of heavy artillerymen in the neighborhood of each coast-defense fortification, with the understanding that whenever the president shall deem it occasion to call out militia to repel invasion that organization will be called into that fortification. In the meantime an immediate and special relation should be established between the militia organization and the fortification for the purpose of practice and instruction. They should be made as familiar as possible with the use of the guns and methods of defense at that particular point. In many cases it will be practicable to give them facilities for meeting and keeping their equipment on the military reservation, which would make unnecessary any outside armory for their use. Such an organization could readily perform all its duties to the state service as infantry, but it could at the same time be distinctly known and constantly prepared for service as the militia reserve of the fortification with which it sustains the relations described.

Recommends General Staff.

The secretary recommends the creation of a general staff for the army with the commanding general as chief. This staff, however, would not be modeled after those of European armies, but would gather all necessary information and present it to the president, as commander-in-chief of the army, in case of necessary movements of troops. After the movement is ordered it becomes the duty of the staff to see that the officers in command understand fully the work they are to perform. Speaking of the law that imposes the duties of commander-in-chief or the president, he says:

One result of the arrangement is that the officer who is called "commanding general of the army" can not in time of peace really exercise any substantial power at all unless in conformity to the policy and views of the secretary of war, acting under the direction of the president; that is to say, he can not exercise any independent command; and this must always be so as long as the secretary of war performs the duties which are imposed upon him by law and which are essential to the maintenance of civilian control over the military establishment.

Cause of Much Friction.

It was the inability to exercise the power which the title of "commanding general of the army" appears to carry with it, but which does not really exist, that led Gen. Scott to leave Washington and establish his headquarters in New York and Gen. Sherman to remove to St. Louis, both of them abandoning the attempt to do anything in connection with the administration of the army in Washington. And this difficulty has been the cause of almost constant conflict and bitter feeling in the administration of the army for the past 50 years, to the very great injury of the service and very great loss of efficiency.

Speaking of the Philippines, he says:

I earnestly urge, first, that the duties levied in the United States upon products of the Philippine archipelago imported therefrom be reduced to 25 per cent of the Dingley tariff rates; second, that the government of the island be permitted to establish the gold standard for its currency, and to take such measures as it finds to be practicable and prudent to keep the silver coinage which it is authorized to issue at parity with gold, without in any way committing the United States to responsibility therefor.

Cost of the Army.

The secretary estimates the needs of his department for the year ending June 30, 1904, as follows: Civil establishment, $2,020,806; military establishment, support of the army and of the military academy, $77,886,515 29; public works, including fortifications and river and harbor improvements, $40,175,613 03; miscellaneous, $5,886,411 10; total, $125,989,435 42. The total estimate for the year ending June 30, 1903, was $157,409,836 26, and the appropriation by congress was $146,537,395 77.

TO DISCUSS QUARANTINE.

Representatives of American Republics to Meet in Washington Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The general sanitary convention of American republics will be held in this city during the present week, beginning Tuesday. Its object is to encourage friendly co-operation between health organizations of the several republics in the matter of quarantine and sanitation.

The deliberations of the convention will have in view adequate protection against disease from one country to another while making quarantines of such a reasonable nature that they may be maintained with as little annoyance to persons and hindrance to commerce as possible.

HARTZ MOUNTAIN CANARIES AT CAMPBELL'S

You Can Take One of These Singers Home for $1.89.

Have some music in the house. It will brighten up the winter days and give you something to think about besides yourself. Campbell's second floor has been converted into an aviary. Almost a hundred genuine Hartz mountain canaries arrived Saturday and at once started a choir rehearsal. Flitting about in their little wicker cages, chirping and pouring forth floods of melody, they will be the center of attraction at "The People's Store" this week—for we all love birds. But they will not stay long in the business center, for as one after another they make devoted friends by their cunning ways and sweet voices the $1.89 that pays for them will be forthcoming from willing purses, and thus the group will melt away and the music be transferred to the homes of the city.

KORNBLUM, OPTICIAN

440 Wood Street, Near Fifth Avenue.

Weather—Fair.

JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Monday, Dec. 1, 1902.

All in Readiness for the Christmas-Buying Season.

NOTICE.

By permission of the U. S. Government we are premitted to introduce a family of Navajo Indians to our public this morning.

They are located on the third floor where the Indian Blankets, Basketry, Pottery and Silverware are shown.

A striking contrast—the product of the patient, yet skillful labor of the American Indian and the artistic productions of the old world—in the company of each other.

Now, this present week the best time to buy and avoid the worry of choosing and deciding later.

The Largest choice is now, and the holiday assortments at their fullest and best.

This store's facilities for supplying Christmas presents are better than at any former Christmas season.

STORE NOTES.

The crowded main elevators can be avoided by using the large and roomy cars running from the rear of men's store.

Going from one department to another buying is greatly facilitated by using the shopping card.

All purchases for gifts, if requested, will be held for delivery at any time including the 24th of December.

By using the early morning hours customers will avoid the later crush.

"His" House Coat.

From now and up to late at night on the evening of the 24th of December the Men's Store will be one of the most interesting places among the 70 stores that go to make up this big establishment.

House Coats, Lounging Coats or Smoking Jackets, either name women choose to give these Christmas Coats, they are here in larger variety than in any former Christmas season—because larger variety is demanded. More and more House Coats sold as each recurring Christmas season comes to us.

Nearly 50 styles in unlined House Coats alone. Every one handsome, $5 to $12.

As many more in the lined House Coats. One style just in—a Mattelasse—is as fine a Coat as we have ever seen. $25.

Then there are the Velvet Coats, holding their heads a little higher than the other kind—any of the velvet styles will cost you $35.

Now, let us speak from experience—years of it: Untold trouble is created, not so much for us, but for the purchaser, thoughtlessly—why not be absolutely sure of the size "he" wears? It is an easy matter to fix that aright. Do either one of these two things: Bring an old Coat—any kind—or go to "his" tailor and get "his" Coat measurements. Then there will be no occasion for exchanging the Coat after Christmas—and all disappointments can be avoided.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Gift Rugs from the Orient.

From our vast stock we have selected a large number of hearth Rugs—genuine Daghestans, Shirvans and some particularly pretty Anatolian Rugs, homely greens and blues.

We shall sell them for one price—a reduced price from $42 and $48.

Today they go on sale, Rug Department, fifth floor, at the round price of $25 each.

As these are regular hearth size it seems to us that people who are looking for something of intrinsic worth to give as a family present could find nothing more pleasing than one of these hearth Rugs. Singular as it may seem, the older an Oriental Rug is, the more striking does its beauty become.

We will also have on sale quite a lot of those neat Oriental Anatolian door mats. We formerly sold these for $8.50, but now have marked the price to $4.50.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Today a Stirring 25c Ribbon Sale.

A quarter of a dollar a yard is our price—but the regular price of the Ribbons, taking the collection through and through, is as much more. We bought these Ribbons, and they go on sale first this morning, purposely for Christmas buyers. It took us some time to find the right kind, and after we did find what we wanted, it also took some time to get them down to the price that we thought they should be sold for.

These Ribbons represent the best specimens both for personal decoration and for all sorts of fancy work. They are fresh, clean, beautiful.

25c a yard—50c grade—5-inch Mousseline Ribbon—white mais, light blue, cardinal, cream.

25c a yard—50c grade—5-inch Moire Ribbon with a satin center and a striped edge—white, cream, buff, cardinal, navy, pink, turquoise.

25c—45c grade—5-inch fancy Ribbons—bow knot center with dresden edge.

25c a yard—45c grade—4½-inch—double-faced satin Liberty Ribbon in all the new art shades.

25c a yard—3½ and 4-inch Pillow Ribbons in 16 different color combinations.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

50,000 Yards of Holiday Silks.

A range of styles broad enough to meet the most exacting taste—a range of prices—less prices—to conform to the requirements of all pocketbooks.

After all, what so admirable for a gift to wife, mother or sister as a dress or waist pattern of either colored or black Silk?

By the way, all holiday Silks will be neatly boxed if requested.

A mere handful from the vast stock for consideration this morning.

$1 a yard, worth $1.50—Brocaded Taffetas in Pompadour and Chine effects. A beautiful Silk that will make a handsome waist.

$1 a yard, worth $1.25—a fine Peau de Soie, with a dull luster and soft finish. Evening tints.

Another excellent Silk for waists—85c a yard, worth $1—Habutai Japanese Silk in natural finish—evening shades. This is a washable Silk, and can be effectively employed for making beautiful party dresses for children. Quite a number of designs.

65c a yard, worth $1.25—fancy black Grenadines—44 inches wide—in several styles.

85c a yard, worth $1—plain black mesh Grenadines—all pure silk and 24 inches wide.

65c a yard, worth 85c—guaranteed black Taffeta, one of the best Swiss makes.

75c, worth $1—full yard wide black Taffeta, very soft of finish and guaranteed all silk.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Christmas Pillows.

The fourth floor is full of them—more unique designs than we could catalogue. You are sure to meet your ideas.

Fancy Sofa Pillows, Liberty Silks, Cottons, Velvets, Japanese and other odd finishes, $1 and upward.

"Toast Pillows," something oddly novel and attractive for the den or for smoking room. No appearance of fancy work. Just plain and rich and serviceable, $5 each.

We also have many styles of uncovered Sofa Pillows, all sizes. Also a wide range of materials for covers. Lowest prices always.

Real Laces.

So called in contradistinction to those Laces which are made by machinery. In other words these are real hand-made Laces. Many of them are the finest that can be produced. The entire collection personally selected in that great city where finest Laces are made, Belgium.

There are four things to which rarity applies in the sense of intrinsic value, rare jewels, rare books, rare paintings, rare laces, and real Laces are not the least valuable. Our aim in personally visiting the Real Lace center of Europe was to select the best values and be able to distribute them at most reasonable prices.

Some of the details:

Duchess and Point Lace are the great favorites. We have exquisite Berthas of Duchess and Point and Duchess and Point Lace combined. The prices start at $10 and the rise is gradual up to $125.

And we also show handsome Barbes in the same Lace combination. The prices for them begin at $3 and go by easy steps to $25.

Then there are beautiful Revers and Collars of both Duchess and Point Lace. They are priced at $25 and $30.

Turn-over Collars, of both these Laces, and sets comprising collars and cuffs, $1.50 to $5.

In Trimming Laces the Duchess is considered the most elegant—$2 to $50 a yard. And we also have All-Overs, $28 to $85 a yard.

Perhaps the news that you are most interested in is that of Lace Handkerchiefs. We imported a large variety of these Real Lace goods, especially for the Christmas season, and you can buy them for $1 and pretty nearly every in-between price up to and including $75.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Pictures and Picture Frames

This is a line of goods that will fill many wants in the search for suitable gift things. Our entire mezzanine floor is crowded almost to overflow with beautiful and artistic Water Colors, Etchings, Photogravures, Platinums and Carbons, appropriately framed and suitable for any place in any house or office.

The prices are interesting. You will be surprised what a pretty artistic bit you can buy for A dollar or at any between price up to $25.00.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Holiday Framing

is a feature of this store. Over 1,000 patterns and widths of mouldings, together with made-up oval, round and square frames of every stock size.

A modern equipped factory with a force of skilled workmen go to make up a combination that can serve you with promptness and satisfaction.

We have been complimented many times for our skillful handling in the framing and mounting of Embroidered Linens, and for the modest prices which we make for all framing.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

French Velour Table Covers Reduced.

Handsome things and the very best and finest.

Full 2 yards square.

Formerly sold for $13.50.

Reduced to the special price today of $10 each.

Imported Art Table Covers in high color art prints, and Velour Table Covers with applique illuminated designs.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

French Velour Portieres.

The very finest samples—something that will please the lady of the house mightily.

$35 a pair.

Other fine Portieres that will not cost you quite so much.

Very handsome Portieres, plain centers with fancy borders, $5, $6, $8, $10 a pair.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Silk Dress Skirts $15

These are a great value at the price, but there is only a little lot of them.

So we close them out today, and the purchaser will be saving $8 to $10 on each skirt.

Samples only—hence only one of a kind.

Taffeta and Peau de Soie, handsomely trimmed with tucks, brier-stitching, pleats, braids and passementerie.

Holiday Linens.

The largest and choicest stock of Holiday Linens—both decorative Linens and table napery—ever displayed in Pittsburg.

Exclusive patterns in best makes Scotch and Irish Damask Linens, and many exclusive ideas in the decorative linens.

Some of the details—

Tablecloths and Napkins—

Yards:	2x2	2x2½	2x3	2x3½	2x4	2½x2½
Prices	$2.00	$2.50	$3.00	$3.50	$4.00	$3.50
of	to	to	to	to	to	to
Cloths	$8.75	$11.00	$13.25	$15.50	$17.75	$21.50
Yards:	2½x3	2½x3½	2½x4	2½x4½	2½x5	2½x6
Prices	$4.50	$6.00	$8.00	$9.00	$10.00	$14.75
of	to	to	to	to	to	to
Cloths:	$25.00	$29.75	$34.00	$38.50	$42.75	$52.50

Also those extra wide widths in round and square designs, 3x3 yards to 4x4 yards, from $11.50 to $75 each.

Napkins to match the above from $3 a dozen up to $36.50.

Decorative Linens—

Doylies, round or square, trimmed with Renaissance, Torchon and Cluny Laces, Irish and Japanese Embroidery, Arabian, Mexican and Teneriffe drawn work, on to those finished with real Duchess and Point Venise Lace borders

Sizes:	4 in.	6 in.	8 in.	10 in.	12 in.	14 in.
Price	$1.50	$1.75	$4.50	$7.50	$10.00	$14.50
Range	to	to	to	to	to	to
Dozen:	$27.50	$37.50	$67.50	$75.00	$1.25.00	$175.00

Tray Cloths—Irish and Japanese, embroidery and drawn-work, Cluny, Torchon and Renaissance Laces.

Sizes:	6x11	8x12	9x14	16x24	18x27	20x30
Price	15c	20c	25c	35c	50c	60c
Range	to	to	to	to	to	to
Each:	$2.75	$3.25	$3.75	$5.75	$9.75	$9.75

Dresser and Sideboard Covers, in Renaissance, Cluny and Arabian Laces, Mexican and Teneriffe drawn-work, Irish and Japanese Embroidery.

Sizes:	18x36	18x45	18x54	18x63	18x72
Price	$1.35	$1.50	$1.75	$2.00	$2.25
Range	to	to	to	to	to
Each:	$9.75	$10.00	$11.50	$12.50	$15.00
Sizes:	20x36	20x45	20x54	20x63	20x72
Price	$2.25	$2.50	$2.75	$3.00	$3.50
Range	to	to	to	to	to
Each:	$9.75	$10.50	$11.75	$12.50	$18.75

Center Pieces and Table Covers—round or square—in all the foregoing lace edges, including Duchess and Point Venise.

Sizes:	18x18	20x20	24x24	30x30	36x36
Price	$1.00	$1.10	$1.75	$1.75	$2.00
Range	to	to	to	to	to
Each:	$37.50	$42.50	$75.00	$87.50	$150.00
Sizes:	45x45	55x54	72x72	90x90	108x108
Price	$2.25	$3.25	$18.75	$40.00	$50.00
Range	to	to	to	to	to
Each:	$32.50	$18.75	$37.50	$150.00	$150.00

Brass Beds.

Special values at $25 and up to $100. These are the very best lacquered goods — curved tops, and such other styles as Empire, Scotch, Colonial, Goose-neck and Straight Foot. 1, 1½, 2 inch posts.

What so admirable for a gift to parents as a handsome Brass Bed?

Brass Cribs and Iron Cribs beginning at $8 and running easily along to $35.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Christmas Parasols for Little Girls.

A new idea that is delightful.

Blue Parasols, pink Parasols, red Parasols, as well as other colors, and each enclosed in a box same color as Parasol.

The price range is from $1.30 up to $2.60.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Handy Vassar Boxes.

A Christmas suggestion of the very best sort.

Neatly covered—$2 to $3.

On sale, fourth floor.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

The Christmas Screens.

Fire Screens in great variety, plain and artistic styles, 75c and up to $16 each.

Some of the decorative Screens detailed:

Three-fold oak frame, lattice top panel, with filling of denim, $3 each.

Burnt wood frames, burlap panels, $5 each.

Pyro wood panels, hunting and Indian scenes, burlap filling, $11 and $12 each.

Dutch poster Screens, wood panels, frames of weathered oak, $12 each.

Handsome Screens with tapestry panels, $12 each.

Burlap Screens, illuminated leather decorations, $12 each.

Wild West Art Scenes, rustic leather, $25 each.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Men's Bath Robes.

Here is a suggestion for a practical present from wife to husband, or sister to brother. We have Bath Robes in a variety that is impossible except in a store that serves so many tastes, $5 to $28.

Another big lot of pretty Eiderdown Robes for men—soft, comfortable, warm. Full size, $2.50 to $8.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

The French Dress Goods of Lupin.

Half Price.

This is a great piece of news for women, and just as great for those who wish to make Holiday gifts of dress patterns. Any woman knows as much as we do about Lupin's fine goods. They are standard the world over, and have been for years. We place this fine offer before you this morning comprising $1.25 a yard suiting in men's wear effects, 58 inches wide, at actually half price—62½c a yard. The mixtures are black and white, gray and white, brown and tan.

If you prefer you can take a neat box inclosed in which are 6 yards of this goods, and the whole will cost you but $3.75.

We have not the least doubt many women will be repeating to themselves this morning, "Lupin's at half at Horne's!"

New Veils.

More Holiday hints. How they do multiply.

Hemstitched Chiffon Veils, 1 and 1¼ yards long, black and colors, 50c each.

A better grade with double row of hemstitching, 75c each.

Veiling by the yard, dainty spots and designs, spider web and hairline meshes, white and black and colors, 50c to $2 a yard.

In this same section of the floor you will find Chantilly Lace Scarfs, suitable for hat trimming or for neckwear, $2.50 to $12 each. These are one of the strongest of the season's favorites.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Photograph Frames.

These are much sought after for Christmas gifts. Very good things from domestic and European makers — Miniature, Carte d'Visite, Victoria and Cabinet sizes, French bronze and rose gold finish, 50c to $12 each.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

The Velvets.

Come to the Velvet Counter for any kind of Velvet you have in mind—or any of the relatives of Velvet. You will find them. A trio of underprices—

85c a yard, worth $1.25—plain black silk-faced Velvet. This is a very popular make.

85c a yard, worth $1—hollow cut cord black Corduroy with an exquisite silky finish.

$2 a yard, worth $2.50—splendid Velour du Nord, full yard wide.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Silk Waists.

Let us tell you, first, of the Paris Waists. Often the mention of Paris brings with it thoughts of high prices. Some of these Waists will cost anyone quite a sum, but there are other Paris Waists that are really quite low in price, considering their exquisiteness and the perfect work put upon them.

These French Waists represent the best specimens of Velvet and Crepe de Chine trimmed with real lace, drawnwork and tucks. Most of them embody all that is beautiful for evening wear, while a number are correct to accompany the tailor-made suit. Prices are $15, $20, $25, $40 and up to $60.

Some of the less priced Waists:

At $3.50, we are selling some fine samples of Waists in black Peau de Cygne.

At $5, we are showing some six different styles in black silk Waists, and each is an extra value.

At $7.50 there are Waists of black and white Peau de Soie made with round yoke, with bands of same, some with faggoting between the bands, lower part of waist tucked. Cuffs and collar to match.

At $10, very pretty Waists in black and navy blue Louisine. This Waist is copied from some of the model Paris Waists that cost three times as much.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

The Christmas Aprons.

They are now ready — first counter to left after stepping off elevator at second floor.

Dainty and charmingly smart are these Christmas Aprons of Swiss, organdy, lawn—prettily trimmed in various ways with ribbons, embroidery and lace.

And such a price range, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c, 85c, $1, $1.25 and on up to $3.25.

Then there are the double width Aprons, with and without bibs. They range from 25c easily along to $3.75.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Women's Knit Petticoats, 50c

When you see them you will readily understand they were made to sell for 75c and $1. You will not ask why we sell them for 50c.

We may as well tell you, however, that we took all the maker had—it was not such an extra large lot. But he was willing to close and we were willing to buy.

An excellent range of colors.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Little Children's Coats Underpriced.

The Infants' Department, second floor of Annex, has a lot of Coats for 2 and 3 year children that are worth $5.50 and that are to be sold for $3.75. Fine cloth, rough or smooth textures, brown, red, navy and cadet. A timely proposition to fit your little one out with a warm Winter wrap.

This same department will offer today children's Caps—a size range from 6 months to 3 years—cream silk, hemstitched and tucked, at 50c, worth all of 75c.

Greatest Display of Fine Furs in Greater Pittsburg.

In buying Furs here the purchaser is absolutely safe. We know all about every fur piece that we sell you—whether it be an elegant Coat or simply a tasty little Neckpiece for runabout occasions. We constantly sell the best Furs for prices as low, or lower, than are commonly quoted on commonplace, inferior grades.

Our great Fur Section is now at its very best—best in the scope of its line, best in its variety of styles and without question best in its wonderful values.

For the one looking for all that is handsome, all that is intrinsic, all that is stylish in Furs with which to make a superb present, this Fur Store of ours submits some splendid suggestions.

Seal Coats.

$650 Seal Coats, with shawl collar and the flare cuffs on bishop sleeves of Russian Sable, the lining of fancy brocade.

At $350, Seal Coats, the revers and cuffs of Sable, the lining of fancy brocade.

At $275, Seal Coats, the collar and revers of Blended Baum Marten, the lining of fancy brocade.

At $100, a plain and handsome Coat of Seal, with large collar and revers, excellent brown satin lining.

Persian Lamb Blouses and Coats.

At $145, Persian Lamb Blouse, flare collar, large revers, full sleeves, fancy white brocade lining, fancy buttons.

At $200, Persian Lamb Coat, collar, revers and cuffs of Blended Baum Marten, full sleeves, fancy brocade lining.

At $265, Persian Lamb Blouse, trimmed with braid ornaments, full sleeves with flare cuffs, new flat collar, fancy white and black brocade lining.

Squirrel Blouses and Coats.

At $125, three-quarter length Squirrel Coats, half-fitting, the collar and revers and cuffs of Ermine, full sleeves, lining of brocade. Reduced from $150.00.

At $150, Squirrel Box Coats, three-quarter length, revers and collar of Ermine, bishop sleeves, white brocade lining. Reduced from $200.00.

At $175, Squirrel Automobile Coats, three-quarter length, new style of sleeves, lined with gray satin. Reduced from $225.00.

Nearseal Coats and Blouses.

At $35, Nearseal Coat, bell sleeve, lined with good quality brown satin.

At $35, Nearseal Blouse, large collar and revers, flare turnback cuffs, ribbon belt, fancy buttons.

At $50, Nearseal Coat, large collar and revers of Beaver, flare turnback cuffs, lined with good brown satin.

At $75, very handsome Nearseal Blouse, the large collar and revers of Mink, full sleeve, fancy brocade lining.

Handsome Fur Sets.

At $200, comprising black Baum Marten, 4-skin Scarf and large flat Muff, both trimmed with tails and claws.

At $225, comprising black Baum Marten flat Pelerine and large flat Muff, trimmed with tails.

Fur Pelerines.

At $30, of Squirrel, 72 inches long.
At $45, of black Mink.
At $50, of Seal and Persian combined.
At $60, of Squirrel, trimmed with tails and lined.
At $120, of Chinchilla. Fancy clasp.
At $125, of Mink trimmed with Mink tails.
At $300, of Hudson Bay Sable, finished with heads, tails and claws.

Fur Boas.

At $8.50, of Sable Fox, finished with large brush tails.
At $10, of Sable Fox, finished with large brush tails.
At $25, of handsome Sable Fox, 72 inches long, finished with large brush tails.
At $25, of Blue Lynx, trimmed with tails and claws.
At $25, of Blue Fox, finished with large brush tails.
At $35, of Isabella Fox, 72 inches long, trimmed with claws and large brush tails.
At $65, of Chinchilla, very long, finished with Chinchilla tails.

Fur Muffs.

Of Mink, flat or round, $10.
Of Blue Lynx, $10.
Of Black Lynx, $15.
Of Isabella Fox, $15.
Of Ermine, flat, $45.
Of Chinchilla, $45.
Of Blended Baum Marten, flat, tails and claws, $75.
Of Imperial Sable, tails and claws, $300.

In the above we have endeavored to give you an insight into the popular priced Furs. To be sure, there are some pieces mentioned that run up into a good many hundred dollars. But they are not the highest priced we have, nor are the lowest priced Furs given. Kindly take it for granted that there is an interesting range of prices in between those mentioned.

The Holiday Handkerchiefs Are Now Ready.

Elegant Costumes Reduced in Price.

Very much so, as the following examples will show, and they are only examples. Back of them is a large variety for selection at the same considerate reductions.

At $175, reduced from $275—a black sequin jetted net Gown, made over white silk.

At $175, reduced from $275—delicate tinted lilac silk Gown, appliques of self color intermingled with light green. A strikingly beautiful effect.

At $140, reduced from $245—very handsome Costume of black lace made over white silk. The waist and sleeves are beautifully trimmed with black panne velvet and cream lace.

At $100, reduced from $150—Costume of white figured net appliqued with light blue silk in a very elaborate manner. The skirt is finished with tucks and contrasting appliques, and is made over heavy white taffeta.

At $60, a copy of a handsome Gown that costs $150. Costume of Crepe de Chine, the waist tucked and the skirt trimmed with cream lace, contrasting collar and girdle. Made with self-colored skirt.

PENN AND FIFTH.